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64-oz. btl.

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Members of the Coffee County Volunteer Firefighters Association listen Monday while county commissioners discuss the fate of a proposed tobacco tax favored by the firefighters. The tax has been delayed, but may soon be enacted if new legislation is approved.

Commission to seek legislation in attempt to implement long delayed tobacco tax

The Coffee County Commission met in regular monthly session on Monday, March 9, at the courthouse in Elba and in an effort to resolve the problems surrounding the proposed tobacco tax in the county agreed to seek legislation that would allow the commission to impose the tax under a new state law and in return divide the tax money among the county's fire departments for services rendered.

The citizens of Coffee County approved the tax in the November election in 1986, but a lawsuit by the tobacco industry against Geneva County challenged the legality of the

tax and upon the recommendation of County Attorney Warren Rowe the commission delayed the actual implementation of the tax to avoid a possible suit.

Representatives of the Coffee County Firefighters Association have attended numerous commission meetings since it asked the commission to implement the tax and have repeatedly questioned the commission's stand on the delay. Under the original wording of the tax the association would receive 95 percent of the tax revenue and disperse the funds to the various departments across the county in a

method to be determined by the association. The commission would receive the remaining five percent of the funds to aid in administration costs.

At Monday's meeting Commissioner Billy Eageron read a resolution asking the county's legislative body to introduce a bill that would give the commission the authority to impose a tax on tobacco products sold in Coffee County and then distribute the funds for services rendered by the fire departments. The change in wording would apparently solve the legal question concerning the commission's authority to allocate tax money to a private agency.

Rowe told the commissioners there were still a few questions to be answered about the new tax bill, but added that the new bill was a "step in the right direction" and stated he would rather defend the new bill in court than attempt to defend the original proposal.

Rowe also reported that the commission would ask the Alabama Supreme Court for an advisory opinion on the legality of the original tax proposal and the new proposal to be introduced at the next legislative session in mid-April. Rowe further added that the commission's request for an attorney general's opinion on the legality of the original tax plan was refused since the plan was in litigation.

After a lengthy discussion the commission voted 4-1 (Bradley opposed) to advertise the new tax bill that would allow the commission to implement the tobacco tax. The actual time of implementation, if legal, was estimated to be 60-90 days.

Commissioner Eugene Bradley made a motion following the passage of the new tax proposal to implement the tax in its original form immediately, and Commissioner Jimmy Bryan seconded the motion.

The board instructed the superintendent to send a resolution to the Alabama High School Athletic Association urging that the number of football games a team must play each year during championship season be reduced.

Mrs. Janice Clark's special education classes were given permission to visit the zoo in Montgomery and Mrs. June Granham was given a temporary leave of absence due to illness. The board instructed the superintendent to send a resolution to the Alabama High School Athletic Association urging that the number of football games a team must play each year during championship season be reduced.

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School board cancels band trip

The Elba City School Board meeting last Tuesday evening was dominated by two executive sessions, one to begin the meeting and another as business was winding down. All five members of the board were present, with Chairman Bill Cowart presiding.

Band director Danny Davis and a group of band booster officials were subjects of the first order of business. Booster president Dyles Rushing was spokesman for the group and immediately asked the board for an executive session. He stated that personalities were going to be discussed; he was granted the request.

The board came out of the executive session and Rushing made a formal request that the band be allowed to go on a 3-day trip to Disney World and the Kennedy Space Center. This would have been on April 25, 26 and 27, he said in response to questions from this newspaper. They would leave on Friday night, the 24th, and miss a day of school Monday. This request was a change from a trip planned to

the same area at the same time in which the band was previously approved to compete in a contest and march in a parade.

Cost factors and other problems were apparently reasons for the change in plans. There was some discussion with the board on the cost and additional charges if the band decided to visit Sea World and march in a parade there. Davis presented the board with figures that the band could save \$300 by not going to the space center at Cape Canaveral. Then by adding the visit to Sea World the present per-person cost of \$106 each would only increase to \$110.53, he estimated.

Davis was asked by the board for a recommendation on the request by the band boosters, and said: "I would prefer to have a performance."

Supt. Bill Crews was asked for his recommendation to the board and said, "It is not legal under state department rules unless there is some learning activity associated with the trip. Under the current situation, I cannot accept the

proposal nor recommend it to this board."

Board member Butch Oggs made a motion that the band not be allowed to go on the trip without a performance. The vote in favor of the motion was unanimous.

The school board went into another executive session at the closing of the meeting, but upon coming out of the session, no action was taken or discussed. This session was at the request of board member Stan Marsh.

The board accepted the recommendation of the superintendent and voted to pay an additional \$50,000 on the debt at the local banks. This leaves a \$51,000 outstanding balance on the loan. Crews explained to board members that it might be necessary to again borrow the money later in the year, but the schools could save paying the interest in the meantime.

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Elba council approves recreation policies

The Elba City Council adopted a resolution Monday night allowing softball teams which are members of the Elba Softball League to host tournaments at Hawkins-Williams Recreation Park. The resolution was adopted on a trial basis, and the council agreed to make its final decision on the matter in May.

Previously, only school organizations, civic clubs and non-profit organizations were allowed to sponsor tournaments at the park. Members of the Elba Softball League are defined as those teams which have paid the league entry fee.

The council made the temporary policy changes based on recommendations by the Recreation Board, which serves as an advisory board to the council, but passed the measure with reservations.

Mayor Bob English expressed concern over the use of profits from tournaments.

"I see nothing wrong with using money from tournaments for uniforms, etc. But what if they (the teams) wanted to have a steak supper," English said. "We need to be real careful we don't open a can of worms."

The board agreed to allow softball teams the right to host tournaments with the following stipulations:

***The Recreation Dept. will guarantee the fields will be in good condition at the beginning of the tournament. The sponsor will be responsible for the condition of the fields during the tournament.

***The Recreation Dept. will operate the concession stand at all tournaments and receive all proceeds.

***The Recreation Dept. will receive 10 percent of the total entry fees from the sponsoring agencies prior to the beginning of the tournament.

***A minimum of three team trophies must be awarded at the tournament.

***Sponsors must pay ASA sanction fees at time tournament is scheduled.

***The decision of the umpires on the fields will be final and all decisions must be supported by sponsors.

***Sponsors must have representatives present throughout the tournament.

***Organizations are allowed to host only one tournament per year.

Attorney Bob Cannon addressed the council on behalf of Dorsey Trailers, requesting that the council close a portion of Dunham Avenue. The part of the street in question is surrounded on three sides by Dorsey property and fronted by Highway 84. The council voted unanimously that the portion of the street be closed.

Cannon also informed the council that a recent land survey revealed that the parts building of the Dorsey property is over the Dorsey property

at the meeting of Coffee County Republicans tonight (March 12) at 7 o'clock in the Enterprise Civic Center.

Mayor Folmar is chairman of the Alabama Republican Party, having been elected on Jan. 12, 1985. He held a position as district vice chairman.

Mayor Folmar was born in Troy, and received a B.S. degree in business from the University of Alabama. He served with the U.S. Army, and was in combat with the Second Infantry Division in Korea.

He became a member of the Montgomery City Council in Sept. of 1975, and was elected mayor of the city on Jan. 12, 1977. He was re-elected for another four-year term in 1983.

Folmar is married to the former Anita Pierce and they have three children, two granddaughters and one grandson. He is active in both church and civic affairs, and is a member of the Trinity Presbyterian Church in Montgomery where he serves as an elder.

Folmar to speak in Enterprise

Montgomery Mayor Emory Folmar will be the featured speaker

Prestwood Mill history to be topic of meeting

The history of Prestwood Mill, near Roston, will be the topic Sunday, March 15, at the regular meeting of the Pea River Historical and Genealogical Society.

Marion Sanders, president of Arizon Peanut Company, a prominent Coffee County farmer, businessman and banker will be the speaker.

The program will begin at 3 p.m. in the Promenade Room of the Enterprise Civic Center, and everyone is invited.

NEWS BRIEFS

Local phone books to combine

General Telephone Company customers in the Dothan, Enterprise and Ozark service areas will be receiving their 1987 telephone directories beginning in early April. Distribution to residential and business customers should be completed by April 21. The new directory will combine the Dothan, Enterprise and Ozark listings for the first time.

"This year's consolidated directory recognizes the growth of Southeast Alabama as a business

and population center," said A.R. Anderson, Dothan Customer Service Operations manager.

"We have experienced an increase in the volume of usage among the three service areas, and we view this combined directory as a convenience to our customers. Because the new directory will be larger, it has required additional production time."

About 170,000 copies of the new directory are being printed.

Foshee appointed to committee

Sen. Crum Foshee, D-Andalusia, has been selected by Lt. Gov. Folson to serve as a member of the Alabama Textile Oversight Committee. This committee will provide input to the Congressional delegation concerning the needs and problems facing textile industries in Alabama, and will observe first hand the problems facing this segment of Alabama's

economy, working to resolve them. Sen. Foshee said, "I know the textile industry has faced some difficult times — foreign imports have taken jobs and adversely affected a major part of our economy. This committee will work and have a positive impact on preserving jobs in Alabama."

Over 5,000 workers find jobs

The State Employment Service found jobs for 5,691 Alabama workers during the month of February through its 33 full-functioning offices and 32 branch offices throughout the state.

A division of the Alabama Dept. of Industrial Relations, the State Employment Service has been finding jobs for Alabama workers for more than 50 years. The agency has

Members of the Elba Recreation Board listen as councilmen discuss proposals for use of the softball fields during the summer. The council approved the board's recommendations and agreed to expand use of the fields.

Brainstorms

By Ferrin Cox, Publisher

Flying the Confederate flag over the Alabama capitol is again a point of disagreement. The NAACP has announced plans to have this practice stopped, or a law passed making it against the law for the Klan to use it as their rallying point. Now frankly we don't care one way or another, but we are not real big on heritage anyway. However, we oppose any action to take it down for its racial implications, since we only think it is a symbol of a rebellion that failed. But we don't like the Klan to start with and would jump at the chance to have it outlawed as their banner, if that is legal.

The Coffee County Commission approved a motion Monday that should have been official since Day One. If clerk Bruneau Winston has any question about paying a bill, she is to hold it and wait for commission approval before taking any action. There was a proposal presented that she pay everything crossing her desk, but the majority showed their wisdom in opposing this wild idea. Under that proposal any John Doe could type up a bill to the county, get the money and skip. Mrs. Winston has always used good business sense in these matters and we are glad it is now the official policy of the commission.

In Pittsburgh the manager of a male strip show was arrested this week. He wasn't arrested for his offensive shows however; it was because he didn't have the show that led to his arrest. It seems he got into a fuss with the manager of the bar and walked out with some cash he had collected and 600 women who had paid to see the show. He was charged with carrying a weapon, chairs, and their fists. Oh, how our world does turn! Just a few years ago, if a group of men had stripped down to their skimpy briefs, they would have been arrested for that - now the arrest is because they didn't.

Well, the TV preacher that is trying to raise over \$8 million for medical scholarships is still a million or so short, he said last week. However, he is still confident you folks will send him the money right away so God will not call him home. Notice I wrote you would send him the needed money, I don't have anything for him to fear his next wish.

We were impressed with the talk of President Ronald Reagan last week. He looked right into those TV cameras and cut off his critics at the pass... or so I thought. His short speech was followed with even longer criticisms from folks we frankly feel are qualified only to criticize. We were appalled at the also-rans who had been picked to cut the talk apart. There were one or two exceptions where national front-line Democrats did their expected picking apart of the opposition party's actions, but for the most part we were embarrassed at those selected. He should have said this, "or He should have answered that..." Those sounded so stupid if you had listened to Reagan admit he wasn't addressing the diversion of funds because the answers are not known at this time. He surely would have looked stupid to have said something accusing individuals that later were proven innocent.

The battle lines are already being formed over changes in the farm bill. Washington lawmakers are sharply divided over even making any changes in the Food Security Act of 1985 as it is officially called. Some want to leave it alone, as it now exists, others want to give more support to the farm program while there is a growing minority that thinks government intervention has been a disaster. We agree to the disaster part, but compare that to climbing a shaky ladder against advice, and deciding 20 feet off the ground to put down that case of eggs on our shoulder... suddenly. There is no way to properly put down those eggs without backing down slowly or going on to the top. A banker explained to me Monday that farm credit banks loaned money on land in the corn belt at \$3800 an acre and the land is now on the market at \$800... with few buyers. He noted this was breaking many banks and many more good, lifelong farmers.

Now doctors are again picking on us coffee drinkers. This time it is the introverts and not us loud-mouthed extroverts - but we will be next. They say those slow, deliberate decision-makers that are the glue holding our society together don't need that extra cup of coffee in the morning. It messes up their thinking. Those of us who make snap decisions (we don't think, maybe) are not adversely affected by that extra cup in the morning. The positive side for both groups is the help we get from the first cup. Even the experts admit we work better AFTER that coffee.

Letters To The Editor

Bulletin Board
S.S. REP. - City Hall - 3rd Tues. 9:30-12:30. Call free 1-800-225-0331.
ROTARY CLUB - Mon. Noon - 7 p.m.
EASTERN STAR - 2nd & 4th Thurs. 7 p.m.
ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN. - Thurs. 8 a.m. - Ye Old Hickory Pt.
JAYCEES - 1st & 3rd Thurs. 7 p.m. - Beaver Dam Restaurant.
CITY COUNCIL - 2nd & 4th Mon. 6 p.m.
LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues. 7 p.m. - Beaver Dam Restaurant.
ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD - 1st Thurs. 8 p.m. - Subl. Office.
AMERICAN LEGION - 1st Thurs. 7:30 p.m. - Legion Hall, Troy Hwy.
BOY SCOUTS - Mon. 7 p.m. - Over old City Hall.
RESCUE SQUAD - 2nd & 4th Tues. 7 p.m. - Library.
WATER & ELECTRIC - 2nd Tues. 6 p.m. - City Hall.
MASONIC LODGE #170 - 1st Sat. & 3rd Mon. 7 p.m.
AA - Wed. 8 p.m. & Sun. 6 p.m. - Sr. Citizens Bldg.
BAND BOOSTERS - 1st Mon. 7 p.m. - Band Room.
VETERANS SERVICE OFFICE - Tues. & Thurs. 8:30-4:30. 897-2824.
AL-ANON - Wed. 7 p.m. - Sr. Citizens Center.
COFFEE COUNTY COON HUNTERS ASSN. - 3rd Sat. 3 p.m. - Club House.
WEIGHT WATCHERS - Mondays - 6:45 p.m. - Elba Library.

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DEATHS

GLADYS COON

Mrs. Gladys Coon, age 67, died February 28, 1987, in Flowers Hospital in Dothan.

Funeral services were held March 4, at 2 p.m. from Piney Grove Baptist Church, Opp, with Rev. John Lawrence officiating. Burial was in Bethlehem Cemetery, with Coleman Brothers Funeral Home, Elba, directing.

Survivors include one daughter - Dorothy Coon, Opp; five sons - Archie Lee Berry Jr., Miami, Fla.; John Coon and Willie Coon, Opp; Cleon Coon and Charles Coon, Elba; three brothers - Willie Caldwell, Elba; Andrew Caldwell, Florida; and Lyn Caldwell, South Bay, Fla.; three daughters-in-law - Bobbie Berry, Miami, Fla.; Sherry Coon and Angela Coon, Opp; 18 grandchildren and five great grandchildren; an uncle Tillman Lindsey; other friends and relatives.

ANNE L. CALDWELL

Mrs. Anne L. Caldwell, 79, died March 2, 1987, in University Hospital, Birmingham.

Funeral services were held March 7 at 1 p.m. from 2nd Avenue Baptist Church, Birmingham, with Rev. D.R. Scarber officiating. Burial was in Shadow Lawn Memorial Park, O.J. Grey Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include one daughter - Mrs. Rosa Hill, Birmingham; three sons - Booker T. Caldwell, Atlanta, Ga.; Minnie G. Caldwell and Peke Caldwell, both of Birmingham; grandchildren - Harriett Caldwell, Mandel Hill, Robert Caldwell, Arthur Dean Caldwell, Michael Seymour, Motty Thomas, Gary McGhee, Valarie Caldwell, Michael Hill; a great grandson - Alfred Pitts; three sisters - Mrs. Eddie Ellington, Rev. Mrs. Joanna Riley, both of Birmingham; Mrs. Erskine Edwards, Gary Ind.; two brothers - Minnie G. Brown, Birmingham; and David Washington, Coatsopa, Ala.; other friends and relatives.

SOLIE A. KELLEY

Mr. Solie A. Kelley, age 85, of Rt. 1, New Brockton, died Sunday, March 8, 1987, in an Enterprise hospital.

Funeral services were held March 10, at 2 p.m. from the Bethany Baptist Church, with Rev. Lane Harris officiating. Burial followed in the coffee cemetery, with Seary Funeral Home of Enterprise directing.

Survivors include his wife - Mrs. Mae Belle Kelley, Rt. 1, New Brockton; two daughters - Mrs. Winnie Brooks, Enterprise; Mrs. Nell Carroll, New Brockton; one son - Rex Kelley, Mr. Vernon, Ill.; three sisters - Nellie Whittington, Annie Sue Harrison, both of Elba; Annie Lou Hyatt, Enterprise; three brothers - Edford, Marvin and George Kelley, all of Elba; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Police Report

The Elba Police Dept. reported an active week with a total of two arrests (theft and public intoxication) and 8 traffic citations (expired tag, driving without a license, speeding 3, driving under the influence, driving with a revoked license and improper tag). Following are daily activity reports:

TUESDAY, MARCH 3
Activity included a fire on County Road 37 (7:54 a.m.), a missing person from Neil Grantham Drive (8:45 a.m.), a drunk in public on Larkin Road (11:50 a.m.), a wreck on the Old Samson Road (1:37 p.m.) and a burglary at Dr. Roberts Drive (1:55 p.m.).

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4
Activity included a wreck on 84 East (6:38 a.m.), a wreck at Claxton and Simmons (10:24 a.m.), a disturbance at Taylor Mill Road (5:50 p.m.), and a wreck on County Road 23 (6:39 p.m.).

THURSDAY, MARCH 5
Activity included a grass fire on Bruns Circle (4:56 p.m.) and a fire at Pine Level (5:57 p.m.).

FRIDAY, MARCH 6
Activity included a vehicle on fire on County Road 25 (2:26 p.m.), a grass fire endangering a house on 189 N. (3:28 p.m.) and a disturbance at Carver Drive (7:43 p.m.).

SATURDAY, MARCH 7
Activity included a disturbance at Morrow Village (1:20 a.m.), a wreck on the Kinston Highway (10:50 a.m.), a wreck at Hardie's (9:46 p.m.), a disturbance on 84E (10:20 p.m.), a prowler at the shop on the Kinston Highway (10:40 p.m.) and a disturbance at Beaver Dam Apts. (11:44 p.m.).

SUNDAY, MARCH 8
Activity included a fight at Kusty Gray's Cafe (1:34 a.m.), a disturbance on 189 (2:45 a.m.), a burglary at 84E (3:13 a.m.) and a wreck at 84E and County Road 95 (7:08 p.m.).

MONDAY, MARCH 9
Routine activity reported.

J. W. GREENWOOD

Mr. J.W. Greenwood, age 65, of Elba, died March 5, 1987, in the Opp Nursing Home.

Funeral services were held March 7, from Hayes Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Tommy Daboe officiating. Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery, with Hayes directing.

Survivors include one son - Tommy Greenwood, Andalusia; three daughters - Judy Powers, Kathy Davis and Sharon Turner, all of Elba; three brothers - Billy Greenwood and Roland Greenwood, both of Clearmont, Fla.; Gene Greenwood of Campbellton, Fla.; 10 grandchildren.

JAMES DALLAS BARBARIE

Mr. James Dallas Barbaree, 68, of Rt. 5, Elba, died March 7, 1987, in an Enterprise hospital.

Funeral services were held March 10, at 2 p.m. from Hayes Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. John Carmichael officiating. Burial was in New Hope Church Cemetery with Hayes directing.

Survivors include his wife - Mrs. Mary Rial Langley Barbaree, Elba; two sons - Jimmy Barbaree, Altona, Pa.; and Terry Barbaree, Troy, Mich.; two brothers - Hayward Barbaree and Louie Earl Barbaree, both of Kossville, Ga.; three sisters - Dulcie Rushworth and Mary Jackson, Kinston; Lydia Barnes, Homosassa, Fla.; four grandchildren.

LEE WILEY BULLARD

Mr. Lee Wiley Bullard, 85, of Elba, died Monday, March 9, 1987, in the Elba Nursing Home.

Funeral services were held March 11, at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Hayes Funeral Home, with the Revs. Tommy Karr and Larry Powell officiating. Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery with Hayes directing.

Bullard was a lifelong resident of Elba and Coffee County. Survivors include one daughter - Jeanette Morgan, Elba; one sister - Zonia Miller, Bonifay, Fla.; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

American Heart Association To Hold

Organizational Meeting In Elba

The American Heart Association will have an organizational meeting in Elba Monday, March 16, at 7 p.m. in the fellowship hall of the Elba United Methodist Church.

"The Heart Association feels there is a need for an active unit in Elba to provide community education, make the people aware of

the work of the heart association and raise money necessary to continue research programs," said organizers of the meeting.

Susan McCarty, regional director of the American Heart Association, will be featured at the meeting.

The public is invited.

Steve Sasser Is Graduate Of Aviation School

Steve Sasser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Randall Sasser of Elba, graduated from the Alabama Aviation and Technical College of Oak on March 3. He had completed a two-year course in pipe welding.

Sasser was named to the Dean's List for winter quarter at the school. He is a 1985 graduate of Elba High School.

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Fourth Six Weeks

NOTE: Nicole Bradley's name was omitted from the Semester Honor Roll by mistake and the school apologizes for the error.

7th GRADE

Alli A's
Julie Bowers
Brook Daugherty
Page Jones
Rob King
Joel Kirkland
Melissa Maddox
Michael McFadden
Stacey Nunn
Tommy Young

A's & B's

Delisa Blair
Anthony Brashears
Yulanda Caldwell
Lashawn Coleman
Christie Crook
Chad Dawkins
Jason Dunn
Hunter Hudson
Amy King
Donnell Knox
Jonathan Lawrence
Regina Free
Jill Maddox
Paige Morrow
Yvonne Seary
Fann Windham

12th GRADE

Alli A's
Johnny Holley
Kim Kelley
Jackie Luckett
Jackie Lockett
Zandra Messer
Annah Semonelle
Eric Simmons
Dina Smith
Pernell Smith
Kim Tindal
Amy Walker
Jack Windham

8th GRADE

Alli A's
Markell Addison
Rusty Bedsole
Tonya Bryan
Kyle Dubose
Jim Goodson
Kenya Hammond
John Jacobs
Regina Kelley
Melissa Moore
Tawana Nelson
Patrick Norris
Bruce Parrish
Kathy Reeves
Stan Sauls
Tom Stroud
Julie Sullivan
Melissa Pritchard
Derek Stevens

11th GRADE

Alli A's
Danette Boggan
Scotty Cole
Beth Henderson

Red Cross Babysitting Instructor Course Offered At ESJC

LUNCHROOM MENU

ELBA CITY SCHOOLS MARCH 16-20 MONDAY
Breakfast - Eggs, Toast with Jelly, Juice, Milk
Lunch - Hamburger Steak & Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Fruit, Milk
TUESDAY
Breakfast - Cereal, Juice, Milk
Lunch - Chicken or Turkey Dressing, Creamed Peas, Cranberry Sauce, Jello or Fruit, Milk, Rolls
WEDNESDAY
Breakfast - Biscuit with Jelly, Sausage, Milk
Lunch - Chicken Nuggets, Rice with Gravy, Field Peas, Apple Cobbler, Bread, Milk
THURSDAY
Breakfast - Grits, Eggs, Toast & Jelly, Milk
Lunch - Taco Salad - Doritos, Shredded Lettuce/Dressing, Grated Cheese, Corn, Fruit, Milk
FRIDAY
Breakfast - Cereal, Juice, Milk
Lunch - Pizza, Tossed Salad, Butterbeans, Fruit Cup, Cake, Milk

Evening Classes Planned At MacArthur Tech

Registration for evening classes at MacArthur Tech in Opp will be held Monday, March 16, at 6:00 p.m. in the student center. New short courses include money-saving tips for homeowners, basic home and auto skills and career image improvement.

For further information, call 493-3573.



Rhonda Fox, drafting graduate at Douglas MacArthur State Technical College, began employment with Construction Components at Greenville, Alabama as a truss designer.

Fox said, "When I was a student at MacArthur Tech, I was able to complete my course ahead of schedule and have been employed with Construction Components since October. I design pre-fab roof and floor trusses for company orders."

When asked, "What do you plan for your future?" Rhonda replied, "In March, I will be taking night classes in Pre-Engineering at Auburn University. My aim is to obtain a civil engineering degree."

COFFEE COUNTY SCHOOLS MARCH 16-20 BREAKFAST

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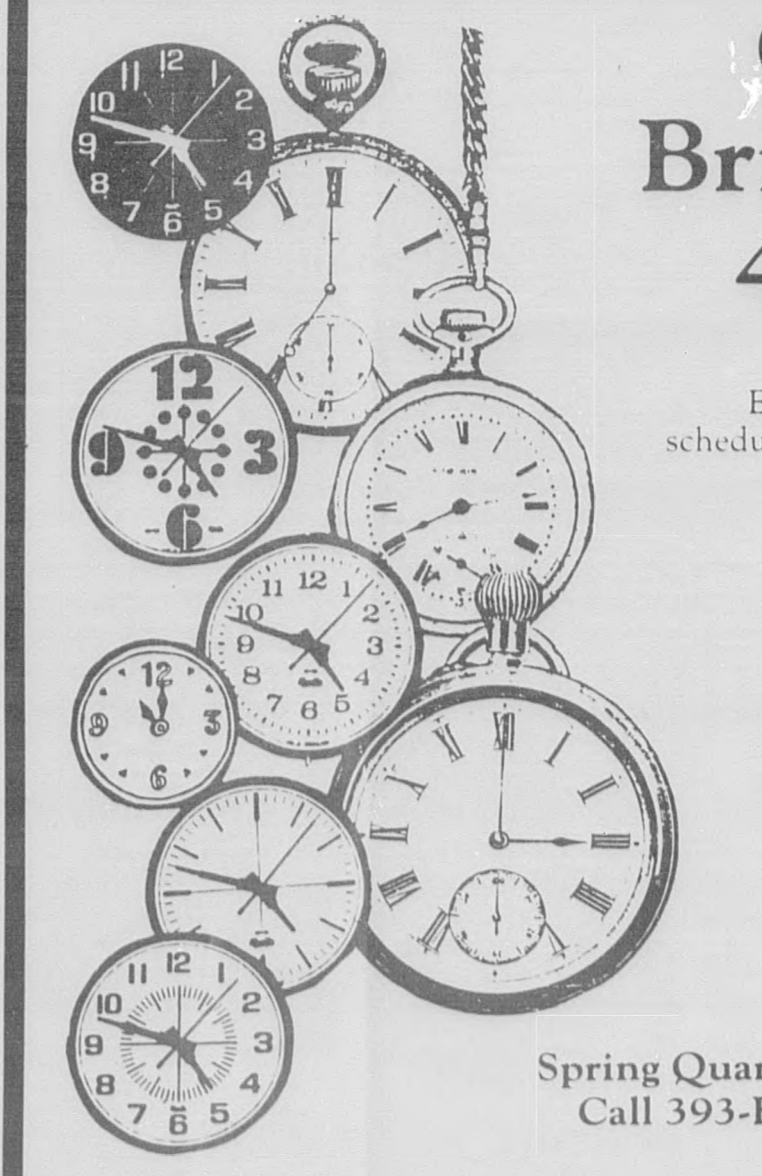


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A & B

Fourth Grade
Chris Addison
Bo Boyd
Tiffany Burks
Heather Lawford
Amy McFadden
Penny Morrow
Che Vaughan
Arenia Wright
Makesha Young
Dusty Smith
Jennifer English
Angie Daniels
Heath Kilcrease
Chad Addison
Heather Ellenburg
Joshua Reeves
Amy Sasser
Lesley Brooks
Belinda Hudson
Daniel Bowden
Phillip Compton
Hope Taylor
Teddus Bryan
Melissa Jones
Aron Pope

Fifth Grade

Jason Holley
Jennifer Hollinghead
Zack Steele
Holley Stinson
Maria Williams
Keith Wyrosdick
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Amanda Calhoun
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Brainstorms

By Ferrin Cox, Publisher

Flying of the Confederate flag over the Alabama capitol is again a point of disagreement. The NAACP has announced plans to have this practice stopped, or at least passed making it against the law for the Klan to use it as their rallying point. Now frankly we don't care one way or another, but we are not real big on heritage anyway. However, we oppose any action to take it down for its racial implications, since we only think it is a symbol of a rebellion that failed. But we don't like the Klan to start with and would jump at the chance to have it outlawed as their banner, if that is legal.

The Coffee County Commission approved a motion Monday that should have been official since Day One. If clerk Brunette Winston has any question about paying a bill, she is to hold it and wait for commission approval before taking any action. There was a proposal presented that she pay everything crossing her desk, but the majority showed their wisdom in opposing this wild idea. Under that proposal any John Doe could type up a bill to the county, get the money and skip. Mrs. Winston has always used good business sense in these matters and we are glad it is now the official policy of the commission.

In Pittsburgh the manager of a male strip show was arrested this week. He wasn't arrested for his offensive shows however; it was because he didn't have the show that led to his arrest. It seems he got into a fuss with the manager of the bar and walked out with some cash he had collected and 600 women who had paid to see the show went on a rampage of throwing bottles, chairs, and their fists. Oh, how our world does turn! Just a few years ago, if a group of men had stripped down to their skimpy briefs, they would have been arrested for that - now the arrest is because they didn't.

Well, the TV preacher that is trying to raise over \$8 million for medical scholarships is still a million or so short, he said. However, he is still confident you folks will send him the money right away so God will not call him home. Notice I wrote you would send him the money, I don't have anything for him to feather his nest with.

We were impressed with the talk of President Ronald Reagan last week. He looked right into those TV cameras and cut off his critics at the pass... or so it might seem. His short speech was followed with even longer criticisms from folks we frankly feel are qualified only to criticize. We were appalled at the also-rans who had been picked to cut the talk apart. There were one or two exceptions where national front-line Democrats did their expected picking apart of the opposition party's actions, but for the most part we were embarrassed at those selected. "He should have said this," or "He should have answered that..." Those sounded so stupid if you had listened to Reagan admit he wasn't addressing the diversion of funds because the answers are not known at this time. He surely would have looked stupid to have said something accusing individuals that later were proven innocent.

The battle lines are already being formed over changes in the farm bill. Washington lawmakers are sharply divided over even making any changes in the Food Security Act of 1985 as it is officially called. Some want to leave it alone, as it now exists, others want to give more support to the farm program while there is a growing minority that thinks government intervention has been a disaster. We agree to the disaster part, but compare that to climbing a shaky ladder against advice, and deciding 20 feet off the ground to put down that case of eggs on our shoulder... suddenly. There is no way to properly put down those eggs without backing down slowly or going on to the top. A banker explained to us Monday that farm credit banks loaned money on land in the corn belt at \$3800 an acre and the land is now on the market at \$800... with few buyers. He noted this was breaking many banks and many more good, lifelong farmers.

Now doctors are again picking on us coffee drinkers. This time it is the introverts and not us loud-mouthed extroverts - but we will be next. They say those slow, deliberate decision-makers that are the glue holding our society together don't need that extra cup of coffee in the morning; it messes up their thinking. Those of us who make snap decisions (we don't think, maybe) are not adversely affected by that extra cup in the morning. The positive side for both groups is the help we get from the first cup. Even the experts admit we work better AFTER that coffee.

Letters To The Editor

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DEATHS

GLADYS COON

Mrs. Gladys Coon, age 67, died February 28, 1987, in Flowers Hospital in Dothan.

Funeral services were held March 4, at 2 p.m. from Piney Grove Baptist Church, Opp, with Rev. John Lawrence officiating. Burial was in Bethlehem Cemetery, with Coleman Brothers Funeral Home, Elba, directing.

Survivors include one daughter - Dorothy Coon, Opp; five sons - Archie Lee Berry Jr., Miami, Fla.; John Coon and Willie Coon, Opp; Glenon Coon and Charles Coon, Elba.

Three brothers: Willie Caldwell, Elba; Andrew Caldwell, Florida; and Lynn Caldwell, South Bay, Fla.; three daughters-in-law: Bobbie Berry, Miami, Fla.; Sherry Coon, Opp; and Angela Coon, Opp; 18 grandchildren and five great grandchildren; an uncle Tillman Lindsey; other friends and relatives.

ANNIE L. CALDWELL

Mrs. Annie L. Caldwell, 79, died March 2, 1987, in University Hospital, Birmingham.

Funeral services were held March 7 at 1 p.m. from 25th Avenue Baptist Church, Birmingham, with Rev. D.R. Scarber officiating. Burial was in Shadow Lawn Memorial Park, O.J. Grey Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include one daughter: Mrs. Rosa Hill, Birmingham; three sons - Booker L. Caldwell, Atlanta, Ga.; Minnie G. Caldwell and Poke Caldwell, both of Birmingham; grandchildren: Harriett Caldwell, Mandel Hill, Robert Caldwell, Arthur Dean Caldwell, Michael Seymour, Moris Thomas, Gary McGhee, Valerie Caldwell, Michael Hill; a great grandson - Alfred Pitts; three sisters: Mrs. Eddie Ellington, Rev. Mrs. Joanna Riley, both of Birmingham; Mrs. Evelyn G. Gary, Ind.; two brothers - Minnie G. Brown, Birmingham; and David Washington, Coatsa, Ala.; other friends and relatives.

SOLIE A. KELLEY

Mr. Solie A. Kelley, age 85, of Rt. 1, New Brocton, died Sunday, March 8, 1987, in an Enterprise Hospital.

Funeral services were held March 11 at 2 p.m. from the Bethany Baptist Church, with the Rev. Lane Harris officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery, with Seary Funeral Home of Enterprise directing.

Survivors include his wife - Mrs. Mae Belle Kelley, Rt. 1, New Brocton; two daughters - Mrs. Winnie Brooks, Enterprise; Mrs. Nell Carroll, New Brocton; one son - Rex Kelley, Mt. Vernon, Ill.; three sisters: Nellie Whittington, Annie Sue Harrison, both of Elba; Annie Lou Hyatt, Enterprise; three brothers - Edmond A. Maxwell, and George Kelley, all of Elba; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Police Report

The Elba Police Dept. reported an active week with a total of two arrests (theft and public intoxication) and 8 traffic citations (expired license, driving without a license, speeding - 3, driving under the influence, and 1 with a revoked license and improper tag). A following are daily activity reports:

TUESDAY, MARCH 3
Activity included a fire on County Road 37 (7:54 a.m.), a missing person from Neil Grantham Drive (8:45 a.m.), a drunk in public on Larkins Road (11:50 a.m.), a wreck on the Old Samson Road (1:37 p.m.) and a burglary at Dr. Roberts Drive (1:55 p.m.).

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4
Activity included a wreck on East (6:38 a.m.), a wreck at Clayton and Simmons (10:24 a.m.), a disturbance at Taylor Mill Road (5:50 p.m.), and a wreck on County Road 23 (6:39 p.m.).

THURSDAY, MARCH 5
Activity included a grass fire on Brunson Circle (4:56 p.m.) and a fire at Pine Level (5:57 p.m.).

FRIDAY, MARCH 6
Activity included a vehicle on fire on County Road 25 (2:26 p.m.), a grass fire endangering a house on 189 N. (3:28 p.m.) and a disturbance at Carver Drive (7:43 p.m.).

SATURDAY, MARCH 7
Activity included a disturbance at Morrow Village (1:20 a.m.), a wreck on the Kinston Highway (10:50 a.m.), a wreck at Hardee's (9:46 p.m.), a disturbance on 84E (10:20 p.m.), a prowler at the shop on the Troy Highway (10:40 p.m.) and a disturbance at Beaver Dam Mts. (11:44 p.m.).

SUNDAY, MARCH 8
Activity included a fight at Rusty Gray's Cafe (1:34 a.m.), a disturbance on 189 (2:45 a.m.), a burglary at 84E (3:13 a.m.) and a wreck at 84E and County Road 95 (7:08 p.m.).

MONDAY, MARCH 9
Routine activity reported.

J. W. GREENWOOD

Mr. J.W. Greenwood, age 65, of Elba, died March 5, 1987, in the Opp Nursing Home.

Funeral services were held March 7, from Hayes Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Tony Dubose officiating. Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery, with Hayes directing.

Survivors include one son: Tommy Greenwood, Andalusia; three daughters - Judy Powers, Kathy Davis and Sherry Turner, all of Elba; three brothers: Billy Greenwood and Roland Greenwood, both of Clearmont, Fla.; Gene Greenwood of Campbellton, Fla.; 10 grandchildren.

JAMES DALLAS BARBAREE

Mr. James Dallas Barbaree, 68, of Rt. 5, Elba, died March 7, 1987, in an Enterprise hospital.

Funeral services were held March 10, at 2 p.m. from Hayes Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. John Carmichael officiating. Burial was in New Hope Church Cemetery with Hayes directing.

Survivors include his wife - Mrs. Mary Rial Langley Barbaree, Elba; two sons - Jimmy Barbaree, Altona, Pa., and Terry Barbaree, Troy, Mich.; two brothers - Hayward Barbaree and Louie Earl Barbaree, both of Knoxville, Ga.; three sisters - Dulcie Rushworth and Mary Jackson, Kinston; Lydia Barnes, Homosassa, Fla.; four grandchildren.

LEE WILEY BULLARD

Mr. Lee Wiley Bullard, 85, of Elba, died Monday, March 9, 1987, in the Elba Nursing Home.

Funeral services were held March 11, at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Hayes Funeral Home, with the Rev. Tommy Karr and Larry Powell officiating. Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery with Hayes directing.

Bullard was a lifelong resident of Elba and Coffee County.

Survivors include one daughter: Jeanette Morgan, Elba; one sister - Zonia Miller, Bonifay, Fla.; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

American Heart Association To Hold

Organizational Meeting In Elba

The American Heart Association will have an organizational meeting in Elba Monday, March 16, at 7 p.m. in the fellowship hall of the Elba United Methodist Church.

"The Heart Association feels there is a need for an active unit in Elba to provide community education, make the people aware of

EDITORIAL

Merchants May Benefit From Tournaments

The Elba City Council deserves a proverbial "pat on the back." At its Monday night meeting the council voted to allow members of the Elba Softball League to sponsor tournaments at the Hawkins-Williams Recreation Park, based on recommendations by the Recreation Board. Only non-profit organizations, civic clubs and school organizations previously were allowed the privilege.

While this decision may cause some initial confusion, in the long run it can only help the city. The council dealt with the possibility of confusion and the potential of "opening a can of worms" with this measure, as Mayor Bob English put it, by adopting the measure on a one-month trial basis.

The recreation complex was built with tax monies from the Elba tax base, and Elba people should benefit from its use. But playing baseball, tennis or swimming is not the only way Elba citizens can benefit from the recreation park. Visiting teams and their families will no doubt pause for a soft drink or two after leaving the dusty softball fields. Some of them might even stick around for a meal. Still others might amble downtown and patronize local merchants between games. And there are sure to be cuts and bruises incurred along the way - we might sell some Band Aids and antiseptic cleanser.

Ball players and their families might also enjoy the use of the swimming facilities at the recreation park during their visit. Although the pool was built for Elba residents, the lifeguards must be paid regardless of whether there are any swimmers. And the more money visitors pay for its use, the less the city has to supplement the pool's operating expenses.

The benefits from the recreation park increase proportionally with its use. Allowing more groups the privilege to sponsor tournaments should increase the use of the park, and therefore the benefits of having such a facility.

State Continues Battle To Help Mother and Child

The State Committee of Public Health has given its support to the Alabama Rescue Plan for Mothers and Children, a legislative proposal to address accessibility and availability of maternal, infant and child preventive health services to those in need.

Alabama is the state ranked fifth highest in the nation in infant mortality, and also has one of the highest rates of teenage pregnancy. A major barrier to adequate health care for mothers and children is financial. Yet even for women who can afford care, poorly distributed prenatal and obstetrical services

often mean women must leave their home counties to seek prenatal care and to deliver their babies.

Dr. Earl Fox, state health officer, commented, "Enrolling pregnant women in early and continuous prenatal care that is appropriate to their needs and providing family planning offers the most promising

course for reducing infant mortality. The Mothers and Babies Protection Bill requests support for additional staffing, medical services, outreach, education and targeted enhancement of existing programs of the Alabama Dept. of Public Health.

Many physicians are failing to offer obstetrical and high risk surgical services because of escalating insurance premiums. The State Committee of Public Health has endorsed a package of tort reform legislation to help encourage more doctors to provide these services.

The State Committee of Public Health is a 16-member board which serves as the Board of Health and determines policies for the Alabama Dept. of Public Health.

Susan McCarty, regional director of the American Heart Association, will be featured at the meeting.

The public is invited.

Steve Sasser Is Graduate Of Aviation School

Steve Sasser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Randal Sasser of Elba, graduated from the Alabama Aviation and Technical College of Ozark in the community. He completed a two-year course in pipe welding.

Sasser was named to the Dean's List for winter quarter at the school. He is a 1985 graduate of Elba High School.

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Jackie Luckett
Lori Marsh
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Annai Semonelle
Eric Simmons
Dina Smith
Pernell Smith
Kim Tindal
Amy Walker
Jack Windham

8th GRADE

All A's
Markell Adkison
Rusty Bedsole
Tonya Bryan
Kyle Daboe
Kim Goodson
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John Jacobs
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11th GRADE

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Jamie Morrow
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Paige Morrow
Yvonne Searcy
Pam Windham
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Connie Williams

9TH GRADE

All A's
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Kevin Matthews
Matthew Morrow
Chad Tindol
Tyler Tindol

A's & B's

Melony Byrd
Calista Fleming
Regina Free
Audi Fudge
Jason Grider
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Dale Leandro
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Rhonda Fox, drafting graduate at Douglas MacArthur State Technical College, began employment with Construction Components at Greenville, Alabama as a truss designer.

Fox said, "When I was a student at MacArthur Tech, my graduation date was scheduled for November. Thanks to MacArthur Tech, I was able to complete my course ahead of schedule and have been employed with Construction Components since October. I design pre-fab roof and floor trusses for company orders."

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Elena Strong
Mallinda Tyson
Chris Hudson
Melissa McDaniel
Jessica York

Fifth Grade

Jason Holley
Jennifer Hollinghead
Zack Steele
Holley Simon
Maria Williams
Heath Wyrodsick
Robyn Rhoades
Amanda Calhoun
Kimbo Nicholson
Wendy Mills
Gina

Socials



L-R: Mrs. Mark Holt; Mrs. Eddie Crawford, and Mrs. Bill Crawford

Mrs. Eddie Crawford Honored With Bridal Shower

Mrs. Eddie Crawford was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower Saturday, Feb. 28, between the hours of two and three-thirty in the afternoon in the lovely home of Mrs. Steve Adkinson on Highland Drive.

White wicker bells with yellow streamers adorned the front door where Mrs. Adkinson greeted the guests. They were presented to the receiving line which included the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Mark Holt, mother of the groom, Mrs. Bill Crawford, and maternal aunt of the bride, Mrs. Charles Taff, from Phenix City.

Guests were directed into the living room where they signed the bridal registry at a massive antique desk. Miss Jennifer Smith presided at this registry table.

Party food was served in the dining room. The beautifully appointed table was overlaid with an Army-Navy cloth and centered with a lovely arrangement of fresh cut flowers, including yellow tulips, daisies and baby's breath interspersed with ribbon and tulle.

Assisting in passing out dessert plates and engraved bridal napkins were Misses Stephanie Adkinson and Reese Grantham.

Highlighting the table was an elegant crystal footed punch bowl holding sparkling yellow fruit punch in which floated a fruited ice ring. Serving punch were Misses Kathy Tucker and Whitney Wise.

Mrs. Kenneth Grantham invited guests into the family room to view the display of gifts.

Additional hostesses were Mrs. Fred Smith Jr., Mrs. Kenneth Baker, Mrs. Ken Amison, Mrs. Jimmy Wise, Mrs. K.W. Anderson, Mrs. Clarence Helms, Mrs. Joe Clark, Mrs. Martha Tatum, Mrs. Doug Martin, Mrs. Ellis Brazleton,

Mrs. Pete Dorsey, Mrs. Ted Vaughan, Mrs. Marion Brunson, Mrs. Billy P. Owens, Mrs. Paul Morrow, Mrs. Barry Giles, Mrs. Ed Cooper, Mrs. Karen C. Scott, Mrs. Edd Tucker, Mrs. Ronnie Vaughan, Mrs. Danny Davis, Mrs. Freddie Rainer, Mrs. Ferris Cox, Mrs. Tom Head and Mrs. Larry Grantham.



Jason Lee Danley Is One Year Old

Jason Lee Danley, son of Mark and Virginia Danley, recently celebrated his first birthday with a party theme of Sesame Street.

The birthday boy and his guests enjoyed cupcakes, party mitts, chips, peanuts, ice cream and punch.

Guests included Grannie - Thelma Kelley, Grandma - Mabel Danley, Aunt Dawn Kelley, Jason's sister Heather, Jessica and Andy Kelley and Dot Jones.

Miss Roney And Mr. Godwin Were United In Marriage March 7th In Dothan

Patricia Anne Roney and Joseph Walter Godwin were united in marriage March 7, at five o'clock in the afternoon in a candlelight ceremony at Triumphant Christian Church of Dothan. The Rev. Dan Raley, brother-in-law of the groom, officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. James Herbert Roney and the late Wilson Graves Pickett of Dothan, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Henry Godwin of New Brockton.

Grandparents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chapman, Mrs. Herbert Roney and the late Mr. Roney and Mrs. Allie Pickett of Dothan.

The groom's grandparents are Mr. Otto Stevens and the late Mattie Lee Stevens of Plant City, Fla., and the late Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Godwin of New Brockton.

A program of wedding music was presented by Christy Watkins, pianist, and Mike Everett, vocalist, who sang "If," "Truly," "Endless Love" and "The Lord's Prayer." The bride's father sang "Visit Us Oh God," "Only God Could Love You More" was pre-recorded by the bride and presented to the groom in the closing moments of the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown fashioned of white double layered chiffon. The bodice was designed with a sheer yoke of English net and a standing collar of Venise lace hand-beaded with seed pearls. A deep ruffle of -chiffon lace with Venise lace motifs enhanced the neckline and sleeves.

The sheer sleeves featured beaded Venise lace appliques at the wrists. A soft cummerbund of chiffon at the waist added to the flowing double layered chiffon skirt with chapel train.

The bride's exclusively designed veil featured a contoured design of tiny white satin flowers and leaves with pearl filament. The starburst creation was embellished with free-hanging lily-of-the-valley and fashioned with a chapel length train of illusion.

She carried a nosegay of white roses and baby's breath with white satin ribbon streamers.

Sharon Simmons of Arton, cousin of the bride, served as matron of honor. Other attendants were Nelda Bailey of Prattville, sister of the groom; Rhonda Deloney of Auburn, Lori Williams of Boston, Lisa Davis of Tuscaloosa and Mary Wilkie of Atlanta.

The attendants were gowned in floor-length jade taffeta dresses with close fitting shirred bodices with puff sleeves and softly gathered flared skirts.

Each carried an arm bouquet of Sandorin roses and baby's breath with pink satin ribbons.

The groom's father served his son as best man.

Groomsmen were Dave Bailey of Prattville and Jerry Hollis of New Brockton, brothers-in-law of the groom; Frank Simmons of Arton, cousin of the groom; Gary Roney of Atlanta, brother of the bride; Shon Lee of Deatsville, David Johnson of Tuscaloosa, Todd Roper, Rocky Colburn and Terry Sanders of Birmingham.

RECEPTION Following the ceremony the bride's parents hosted a reception in the fellowship hall of the church.

Those assisting with the serving included Jean Stringfellow, Janie Harmon, Diane Roney, Elizabeth Roney, Gala Hollis, Cecelia Raley



Mrs. Joseph Walter Godwin

and Suzanne Lasseter.

Michele Simmons kept the bride's book and Amanda Simmons, Allison Stringfellow and Brittany Raley distributed rice bags.

A kitchen shower was hosted by the groom's parents in the home of Mrs. Stringfellow and Mrs. Frank Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dupree entertained in their home with a rice bag dinner party.

The bridesmaids luncheon was held at the Sheraton Inn, given by Mrs. Edwin Whitehead and Mrs. Merlin Martin.

PRE-NUPTIAL PARTIES The bride was honored with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. John Shirah. Mrs. Keener

Senior Citizens Of Cordelia Street Meet

The Senior Citizens of Cordelia Street met Thursday, March 5, for their regular meeting.

The lovely Spring day brought on the talk of flowers and gardens. Many members who had been ill were present again.

Plans were made for the Spring bake sale.

A delicious lunch was served to the following:

Mattie Lou Goodson, Clayton Goodson, Myrl Burkett, Grace Goodson, Pearl Farmer, Pinkie Spinks, Zedie Bouyer, Rosa Coon, Minnie Davis, Dixie Mae Madson, Mavin and Winslow Matthews, Ruth Wagner, Ruslie Blanton, Mary Longfellow, Odell Reeves, James Jordan, Frances Shaboo, W.J. Schmidt, Anna Stoudamire, Sarah Smith, Jane Kelley, Cora McBride, Mozell McCormick, Leon Brunson, M. Baling, Wanda Sasser.

She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Kelley of Elba, and Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Danley of Jack.

Great grandparents are Mrs. Grace Shiver, Jack, and Mrs. Gertrude Carlson, Plant City, Fla.



Heather Danley, age 3, daughter of Mark and Virginia Danley of Jack, was chosen winner of Tri-County Valentine Sweetheart Pageant in the Tot Division.

She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Kelley of Elba, and Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Danley of Jack.

Great grandparents are Mrs. Grace Shiver, Jack, and Mrs. Gertrude Carlson, Plant City, Fla.

Elba Study Club Meets At Library

Mrs. Oswell Dowling, Mrs. G.C. Williams and Mrs. J.R. Clark served as hostesses for the March meeting of the Elba Study Club held at the Elba City Library. The hostesses served refreshments to 15 members and one guest.

Mrs. P.H. Sellers, program chairman, introduced Mrs. Angela Hughes, associate county agent. Mrs. Hughes presented a program entitled "Touring Alabama."

The president, Mrs. W.H. Taylor, conducted a short business session. Officers for the new club year were elected.

Members attending were Mrs. M.O. Brueckner, Mrs. J.R. Clark, Mrs. Oswell Dowling, Miss Jeannette Garrett, Mrs. Durrell Hudson, Mrs. W.E. Kelley, Mrs. J.M. Kinney, Mrs. T.M. Miller, Mrs. P.J. O'Reilly, Mrs. P.H. Sellers, Mrs. Melvin Senn, Mrs. W.H. Taylor, Mrs. Richard Hobson, Mrs. G.C. Williams and Mrs. John I. Jones.



Miss Gladys Clark

Miss Gladys Clark Honored With Surprise Birthday Party

Miss Gladys Clark was honored with a surprise birthday party late last fall in Montgomery, as friends and relatives gathered in the ballroom of the Arrowhead Country Club to honor her. The party was hosted by Polly and John Mosley of Montgomery, and Totsy and Bob Winslow of Houston, Texas.

The party room was decorated in pink (Miss Gladys' favorite color) and white. The tables were covered with white linen cloths and accented with pink napkins, and featured arrangements of large pink sea shells filled with waxed magnolia leaves and baby's breath.

These floral designs were repeated on the mantel, and wicker baskets held arrangements of pink chrysanthemums throughout the ballroom.

The luncheon tables surrounded a circular white linen-draped table which held a tiered pink-and-white birthday cake. The cake was decorated with white spun sugar icing, pink rosebuds and ribbon, and topped with a bouquet of lily-of-the-valley and pink rosebuds made from the spun sugar icing.

During the social hours friends and relatives reminisced while awaiting the arrival of the honoree, and at the appointed time she was ushered into the ballroom by niece Polly Mosley to a chorus of "Happy Birthday."

John Mosley welcomed those present and introduced Mrs. Sybil

Taylor who gave the invocation. Mrs. Taylor, formerly of Elba and a close friend of many of those present, entertained during lunch with humorous poems and stories concerning birthdays.

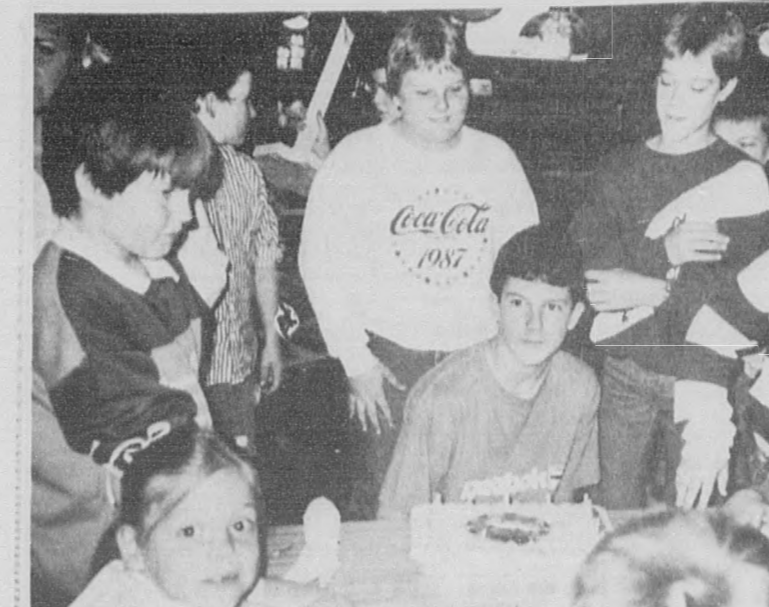
Luncheon menu consisted of a marinated artichoke salad, apple-almond chicken Wellington and broccoli with cheese sauce. Birthday cake and coffee were served for dessert.

After lunch the honoree opened the many gifts she received. A professional photographer was also present to record the event, and an oil portrait was Miss Gladys' gift from her nieces and nephews.

Those attending from Elba were Mrs. Janice Clark and daughter Cary; Mrs. Pat Clark, Miss Totsy Rhodes, Miss Frances Connor, Mrs. Pauline Allen, Mrs. Irma Warr, Mr. and Mrs. Bud English and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sawyer.

From Andalusia were niece Marilyn Beck and husband A.L. Beck and their children; from Opelika - niece Mrs. Lily Jo Edwards and daughter Jamie and her fiancé Mike Condon; from Shawmut - brother-in-law Otis Kent with Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Kent and family of Opelika; from Huntsville - nephew Donald Hayes Harper and wife Bernice; from Anniston - Mrs. Tommie Meighan.

Those present from Montgomery included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilkes, Mrs. Sara Lee Crew and Mrs. Sybil Taylor.



Bo Bryan (seated, center), son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Bryan, celebrated his 13th birthday in Gadsden, Ala., with some of his friends and sister Leigh at the Gadsden skating rink. Grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Edlow Bryan were there to help Bo celebrate.

New Arrival

BRANDON DUANE BALDWIN Mr. and Mrs. Timothy R. Baldwin announce the birth of a son, Brandon Duane, on November 4, 1986, at 5:32 p.m. He weighed 8 lbs. and measured 20 inches.

Grandparents are Mr. D.C. Lee; Sara Owens of Elba; and Mr. Bud Baldwin; Jean Strickland of Opp. Great grandparents are Mrs. J.R. Rhodes, Mrs. Clemmie Calhoun of Elba.

Three In One Club Meets At Library

Miss Eleanor Lee, assisted by Mrs. Joe Martin, was hostess for the March meeting of the Three-in-One Study Club.

Club president Mrs. J.W. Kendrick presided. Reading of the minutes and roll call were given by Mrs. Jim Williams. Miss Eleanor Lee gave the treasurer's report.

Mrs. Pauline Allen reminded club members about the request for baked goods from the Coffee County Arts Alliance.

Mrs. James English thanked the club for remembering her during her latest illness.

Mrs. Kendrick welcomed Catherine Spurlin as a new member, and asked Mrs. Spurlin to fill a vacancy on the Fine Arts Committee due to the resignation of Mrs. Edwin Lord.

Miss Lee gave the devotional.

Enjoying party refreshments were Mrs. J.W. Kendrick, Mrs. Lois English, Mrs. Mayo Prescott, Mrs. S.E. Carney, Miss Gladys Clark, Mrs. Pauline Allen, Mrs. E.M. Warr, Mrs. Jim Williams, Mrs. Joe Jacobs, Mrs. Fulton Spurlin, Mrs. Joe Martin and Mrs. Nellie B. Martin.

HRDC To Sponsor Golden Gala Ball

Twentieth Century Study Club Entertained By ESJC Students

The Wiregrass area's first Annual Human Resource Development Corporation's "Golden Gala Ball" will be at Ft. Rucker in the Officer's Club Ballroom, April 24th from 8:00 p.m. until 11:00 p.m. featuring Bill Buchanan's Combo. Swing to the music of the big band era of the 40's and 50's.

For more information, call the HRDC office in Enterprise at 393-1400.



Melissa Mularz Celebrates Fourth Birthday Friday, March 6th

Little Miss Melissa Hope Mularz celebrated her fourth birthday on Friday, March 6, with a party at her home on West Simmons St. in Elba.

Theme of the party was "Crayola Crayons" and all party favors and decorations followed the theme.

Helping Melissa Hope celebrate her birthday were Amy Kirkland, Kate Vaughan, Emily Qualls, Jill Jirnight, Emily Bimbo, Francie English, Michelle Lewis, Charlie Windham, Alan Head, Alan

Samuels, Tiffany Farris and Connie Cooper, all classmates of Melissa's at the Jack and Jill Daycare.

Misty Miller, Kim Norris and Susan Johnson helped serve refreshments.

Also present at the party were Melissa's parents Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Mularz; her grandmother Ann Whitman; first cousins Chad and Christy Smith, and aunts Kim Miller and Shelley Smith.

The 20th Century Study Club met Feb. 12 at the Home Economics building at Elba High School, with Leigh Tatum and Grace Taylor, serving as hostesses.

After a short business session four members of the Enterprise State Junior College Entertainers presented a musical program with Rachel Cowart, Lesley Ham, Ceina Hayes and Marty Harrelson

participating, all Elba High School graduates.

Members present were Heddy Cox, Pam Crittenden, Judy Hall, Jane Hudson, Leigh Tatum, Grace Taylor, Janaria Thomas, Elaine Thompson, Betty Vaughan, Ella Jean Vaughan, Patsy Williams, Mary Young and a new member, Betty Brunson.

Auction To Be Held For American Cancer Society In April

A countywide auction for the American Cancer Society has been planned for Saturday, April 4, in Enterprise at the Recreation Center, to begin at 10 a.m.

Roy Shoffner, chairman of the Coffee County Society of the American Cancer Society, is asking residents of the area communities to donate items for the auction. All contributors will receive receipts for donations, and anyone needing items to be picked up may call 897-5681 or 347-8887. Board members include Janice Morgan, Tom Casaday, Leigh Cassidy, Resa Byrd, Lucia Grantham and Jerry Ogles, as well as Alice Rhodes, Wink Rodgers, Lucille Ellis, Kenneth Grantham, Dr. Henry Cochran, Curt Pinkard, June English, Bernie Hughes, Tom Hagood and Rex Bass.

Ronnie Vaughan will be the auctioneer.

New Arrival

HEATH KILLINGSWORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Killingsworth of Brundidge announce the birth of their first child, a son, named Heath Killingsworth.

The new son was born January 14, 1987, at 12:50 p.m. at Humana Hospital, Enterprise, weighing 6 lbs. 2 ozs. and measuring 19 inches in length.

Proud grandparents are Mrs. Eloise Killingsworth and the late Mr. John D. Killingsworth of Brundidge; Mr. and Mrs. George Dismukes, and the late Mrs. Wanda Dismukes of Brundidge.

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hanley of Brundidge and Mrs. Connie Lee Baker of Phenix City; and Mrs. Dorothy Medlock of Phenix City.

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Sports

Views From The Pressbox By, Ricky Mularz

I went up to Auburn last week for the state high school basketball tournament, and about halfway there on Thursday I didn't exactly remember just which roads to take. I got the back way through such towns as Banks, Perote, Blues Old Stand and Ft. Davis; however, Thursday I took a wrong turn and ended up going through Broad, Tray, and I. Oh well, once I got to Union Springs I got back on the right road and made it to Auburn in plenty of time to watch the Kinston-South Macon game. Next time you head up in that direction, I'll be glad to tell you the short cut!

KINSTON AND NEW BROCKTON FALL IN OPENING ROUND AT STATE

Kinston and New Brockton had high hopes going into last week's high school state basketball tournament at Auburn; after all, the last time the two schools went to state the same year both schools won state championships. Well, both schools made it to the same round again this year, but unfortunately that was only the opening round, as both schools failed to post a win. Here's a look at how the county's cage representatives did at Auburn:

***Kinston lost to South Macon, but the Bulldogs really placed well and gave a real scare to the highly ranked Wolverines. Kinston slowed down the pace in the game as it has done in recent weeks and the game plan worked to perfection as the Bulldogs had chances to win right up to the final horn. Kinston was completely outmanned in the game and on paper didn't have a chance in the world to defeat South Macon; however, the Bulldogs battled hard and played well enough to scare the large South Macon following that came to watch a rout. Kinston may not have won a game at state, but the players made their followers proud and really gave it their best shot!

Looking back at the season, Kinston struggled to an 11-11 record. Coach Pete's Kelley's first non-winning season, but I think Coach Kelley did without a doubt his best coaching job ever! Kelley started the year with a very young and inexperienced team and then had to try to keep the program together when the state put the school's entire basketball program on probation and ruled that the Bulldogs couldn't play in any tournaments and would be ineligible for the area and state tournaments. Coach Kelley kept his players from quitting when the going got tough, and after totally changing the team's style of play saw the Bulldogs suddenly come to life and win four straight games to make it to state. The 1986-87 basketball season won't go down as one of Kinston's most successful as far as records go, but it was a season in which both the players and coaches showed just what Kinston's winning tradition is all about. Congratulations on a great comeback your 21st trip to state!

***New Brockton was expected to have a real shot at winning the Class 2A title, but stumbled at the start against a solid J.F. Shields team and never caught up in falling in the opening round. New Brockton seemed totally lost in the first quarter in Auburn's vast basketball arena and could have easily got blown away had not the Gamecocks regrouped at the half and battled tooth-and-nail in the final two quarters. New Brockton was as good as J.F. Shields and on any day could defeat the Panthers, but Friday the Gamecocks just weren't at their best, and the result was a loss.

The 1986-87 season saw New Brockton roll up a total of 22 wins and has to go down in the rich history of New Brockton basketball as yet another

successful chapter! The Gamecocks weren't expected to be a power this season and a lot of people thought they would be doing good just to break even; however, the people couldn't see inside the players and measure their hearts, and that's where the wins came from. Coach Bobby Kinsaul never doubted the quality of his players and adjusted his own basketball beliefs to let the team play an up-tempo game and at times simply run-and-gun. Now that the season is over, it will be easy for people to second-guess things like the Gamecocks' schedule and the team's style of play, but everyone should remember what was expected of the guys early and then look at what they accomplished. New Brockton had a very good year and deserves a pat on the back for all its wins and the trip to state!

STATE BASKETBALL TOURNEY IS STILL THE PLACE TO BE

I've been going to the state basketball tournament for the past dozen or so years and while I'll admit the journey isn't the same since I went to Auburn for the 1A-2A-3A tourney because Kinston and New Brockton were in the field, and while I would have preferred to go to Tuscaloosa to watch the big boys, I did enjoy my trip. Following are a few notes I jotted down while working and relaxing on press row:

***The first three games in Class 1A reminded me of Rocky movies, as predominantly white teams battled heavy favorites. Pleasant Home, Spring Garden and Kinston all had players with neat haircuts and a lack of height, but all three battled until the end and won the hearts of the people in the crowd. The only thing that wasn't like Rocky was that all three lost! Oh yeah, Rocky finally did arrive in the first Class 3A game when Holly Pond, a mirror image of the 1A teams, pulled off a big upset over East Limestone! ***If you think the 3-point line is too close for college players you should have seen the way the high schoolers burned it up. The players hit shots over the line throughout the tourney, and in one game a player hit 8 of 11 shots from the 3-point mark. The line is so short a sophomore from Pleasant Home drilled four straight shots from behind the line! I'll agree the 3-point shot adds excitement to the game, but the high-schoolers proved what a joke the shot is from the present distance.

***If you think basketball is a tall man's game you are right! Short players were to be found at the state tourney and made a big impact, but a look at the program revealed the teams in the tourney were filled with players that stood 6'2" or over. In 1A a total of 21 players stood 6'2" or taller and the tallest

player was 6'5", while in the 2A ranks 32 players reached the 6'2" line and the big man was 6'6". In Class 3A 30 players made the mark and the tallest player was 6'8"; and in the 4A event 36 players measured up in the 6'2" height, and the biggest player was 6'7". The big boys in 5A and 6A really topped the teams, as in Class 5A 37 players reached the height with the tallest player being 6'9", and in the 6A ranks a whopping 46 players were 6'2" or taller and the tallest player was 6'10"! You don't have to be big to play the game, but it doesn't hurt!

Giving credit to the short guys in the tourney - many of the best players were under six feet, and four players standing 5'9" took part. Included in the quartet of 5'9" players was Ashford's Ray McGhee.

***I've never been a fan of officials in any sport, but I'll give credit where credit is due and state that the refereeing in this year's state tournament was the best I've seen! The refs didn't always make the best call; however, every ref I watched did a very good job and didn't have an impact on the outcome of the game. County revenue commissioner Ronnie Burns was included among the referees at Auburn and it was good to see a local ref get a chance to call at the state level. I'll repeat - the refs did a good job!

***I didn't make it to Tuscaloosa after all, but from what I've heard the action was outstanding. People really bragged on Livingston in 4A, Charles Henderson and Hayes in 5A and Valley and Johnson in 6A, while Auburn was a unanimous choice for the most disappointing team.

NCAA TOURNAMENT APPEARS TO BE THE BEST IN YEARS

The NCAA basketball tournament starts this week and the 64-team field should provide all college basketball fans with a lot of excitement. Alabama, Auburn and UAB will provide plenty of local interest, while Kentucky, Florida, LSU and Georgia will also give SEC fans a chance to keep up with the results from across the nation. Possible matchups that would really be something to watch include Alabama and Georgetown, and Auburn and Indiana. If I look a little sleepy the next two weeks it'll be because I sat up late watching the games.

IN CLOSING . . .

School is out all week for AEA, and while that means fun for all the students it will all but shut down the local sports scene. Next week's sports pages could be a real surprise!

Softball Meetings Set For March 17 In Elba

The Elba Recreation Dept. will hold its first softball meetings on Tuesday night, March 17, at City Hall, and anyone wishing to enter a team in any of the department's leagues must attend. Schedules,

entry fees and various deadlines will be discussed at the meeting. The Church League will meet at

6:30, to be followed by the Women's League at 7:00 and the Men's League at 7:30.

TENNIS MEETING

The Elba Tennis Association will meet on Tuesday night, March 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the Community Room of the Peoples Bank to organize plans for the coming summer season. All tennis enthusiasts are encouraged to attend and for more information interested persons should call Hugh Martin.

Elba Umpires To Meet March 15

The Elba Umpires Association will meet on Sunday, March 15, at 2:00 p.m. at the Elba High School gym and anyone interested in umpiring softball and baseball this

summer is encouraged to attend. The Elba Umpires Association umpires all softball and baseball games in Elba, as well as numerous softball tournaments throughout

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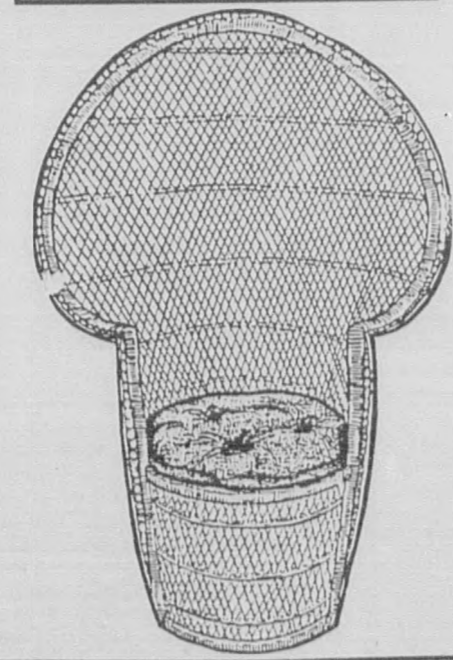
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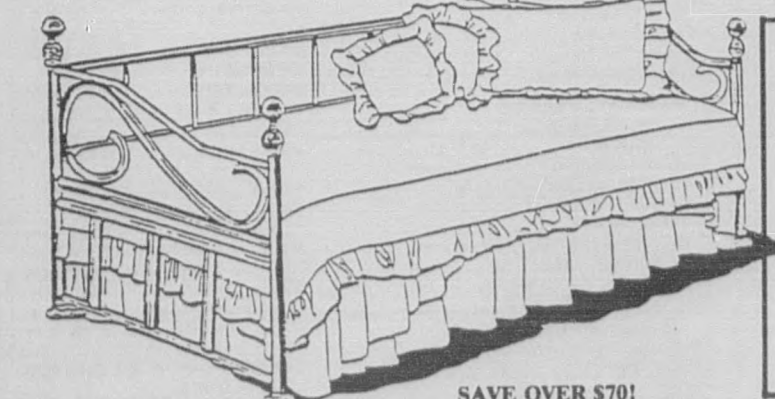
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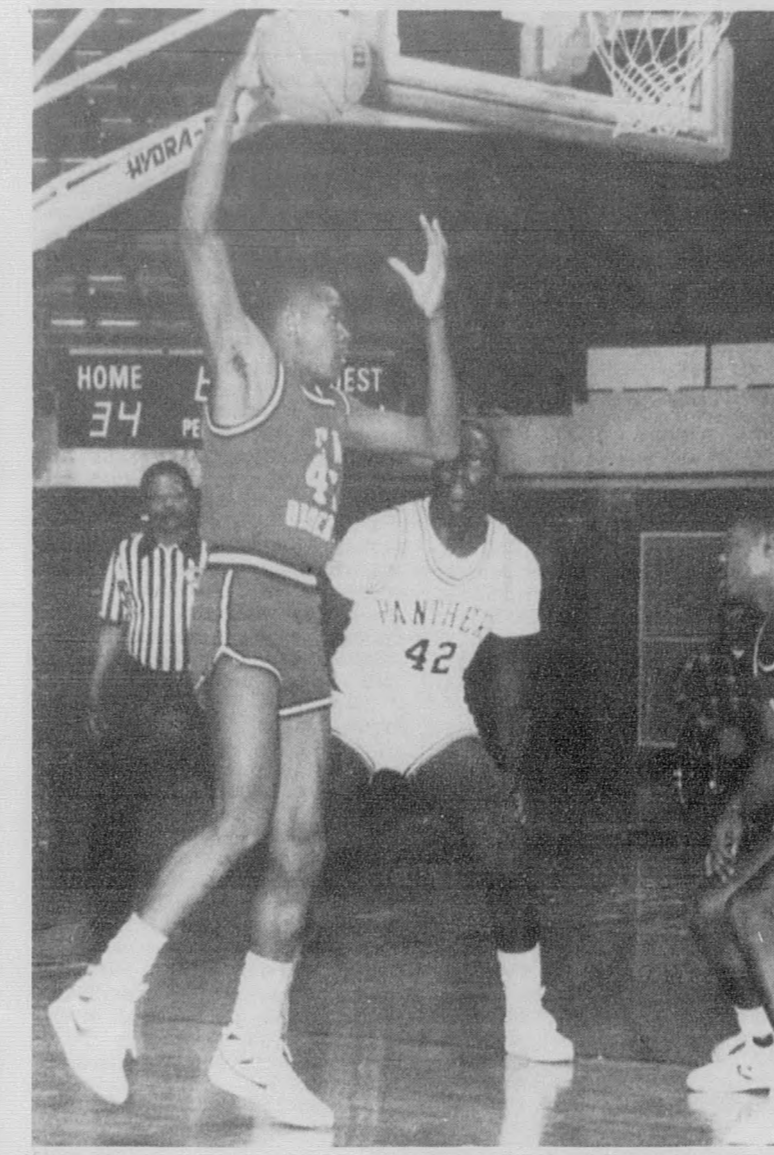


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New Brockton's Michael Andrews (in dark uniform) pulls down a rebound in last week's 58-51 loss to J.F. Shields in the Class 2A State Basketball Tournament. Andrews scored 17 points and grabbed 8 rebounds to lead New Brockton at state.

Gamecocks Fall At State To J.F. Shields

The New Brockton Gamecocks turned on the afterburners in the second half and cut a 16-point deficit to only one point with 5:09 left in the game, but ran out of gas in the closing minutes and was defeated by the J.F. Shields Panthers 58-51, in the opening round of the Class 2A, State Basketball Tournament.

The loss left the Gamecocks with a final record of 22-6, while J.F. Shields upped its record to 19-9 with the win.

New Brockton was tight in the opening minutes of the game and fell behind 6-0 before Michael Andrews put the Gamecocks on the scoreboard with 6:15 left in the stanza on a short jumper. The Gamecocks closed to within 8-5 with 3:04 left when Stanley Foster hit two consecutive 3-pointers to tie the Gamecocks had finally settled down; however, J.F. Shields got hot from the outside late in the stanza and stretched its lead to 14-7 heading into the second quarter.

J.F. Shields began to dominate the boards in the second quarter and threatened to blow the game wide open as the Panthers pulled out to a 30-14 lead with 2:33 left in the half. New Brockton was in a state of shock

after the Shields outburst, but a time-out calmed down the Gamecocks and a late rally sparked by the play of Michael Andrews and Rocky Head allowed New Brockton to close the gap to 32-20 at the half. J.F. Shields upped its lead to 34-20 at the start of the third quarter to further dampen Gamecock spirits, but New Brockton wasn't about to throw in the towel and reeled off six straight points to cut the lead to 34-26 with 6:08 left in the quarter.

Michael Andrews began to take charge late in the stanza and led the Gamecocks on a charge that pulled New Brockton within 40-35 at the end of the quarter. The Panthers extended their lead to 44-35 early in the final stanza to get a little breathing room; however, New Brockton's Stanley Foster made a steal and a layup to spark a Gamecock rally and when Foster hit on a driving jumper with 5:09 left in the game the Gamecocks had cut the Panther lead to 44-43!

New Brockton stayed within striking distance during the middle of the quarter and trailed only 49-47 with 2:38 left on the clock as Gamecock fans sensed a victory; but J.F. Shields scored on a layup with

2:13 left, and when the Panthers converted a three-point play with 1:29 on the clock Shields had regained command with a 54-47 bulge. The Panthers' lead went to 56-47 with 1:41 left and although the Gamecocks never quit J.F. Shields held on to post the 58-51 win.

Michael Andrews scored 17 points and grabbed 8 rebounds to lead New Brockton, while Stanley Foster added 14 points and 7 rebounds and Steve Foster scored 13 points. New Brockton hit only 22 of 51 shots during the game and connected on only 7 of 15 free-throws.

Kevin Brewton scored 24 points for J.F. Shields, which out-rebounded New Brockton 45-31.

J.F.S. 14 18 8 18 - 58
N.B. 7 13 15 16 - 51

Shields [58]: Montgomery 12, Stallworth 8, Brewton 24, Andrews 17.
New Brockton [51]: Head 5, Stv. Foster 13, Knox 2, Sin. Foster 14, Andrews 17.



Kinston's Chad Keith throws up a driving one-hander in Kinston's 36-32 loss to South Macon in last week's Class A State Basketball Tournament.

Kinston Ousted By South Macon 36-32

The Kinston Bulldogs did everything right but win last week in the opening round of the Class 1A State Basketball Tournament as the gutsy Bulldogs battled until the final buzzer before falling to the top-ranked South Macon Wolverines 36-32, at Auburn's Memorial Coliseum.

The loss left Kinston with a final record of 11-11, while South Macon upped its record to 18-8 with the win. Kinston fell behind 4-0 early in the game and it appeared that Kinston was in a complete state of shock as the Bulldogs went almost four minutes without even taking a shot.

South Macon wasn't as tight as the Bulldogs, but the Wolverines did beat Kinston from the floor and the scoreboard seemed to be frozen as

neither team could find the range. The Bulldogs finally got on the board with 2:28 left in the first quarter on a free-throw by Carlton Edwards as the Bulldogs pulled to within 4-1 and Edwards hit a pair of free-throws with 1:13 left to pull Kinston even at 5-5 at the end of the unusual opening stanza.

South Macon continued to have problems finding their shooting touch in the second quarter and the Bulldogs used a disciplined attack to grab a 9-7 lead with 6:05 left in the game on a layup by Dodd Hawthorne. Kinston swapped buckets throughout the quarter to keep pace with the Wolverines, only to see South Macon pull ahead late and carry a 17-14 lead into the half.

Kinston continued to battle the highly-favored Wolverines on even terms in the third quarter behind the

play of Carlton Edwards and Brandy Nobles and with 3:59 left in the game South Macon clung to a slim 21-19 lead.

Kinston's slow-paced offense was the key to the Bulldogs' success; however, Kinston scored only two points during the final 5:17 of the quarter to allow South Macon to sneak ahead 27-20 with one minute left. South Macon grabbed a 28-20 lead at the outset of the third quarter and it looked like the Bulldogs' hopes for an upset were over; however, Kinston began to pick up the pace on offense and sparked by the inside play of Brandy Nobles rallied to cut the deficit to 28-26 with 4:46 left in the game! The Bulldogs had chances to pull even with South Macon late in the game as the Wolverines missed 4 of 5 free-throws within a span of :19, but the Bulldogs just couldn't get the shots to fall as South Macon held on to claim the 36-32 win.

Brandy Nobles scored 11 points and grabbed 6 rebounds to lead Kinston, which hit only 12 of 29 shots from the floor. Ivan Austin scored 10 points for South Macon, which shot a miserable 32 percent from the floor (15 of 48).

South Macon [36]: Sparks 9, Austin 10, Tolbert 2, Martin 9, Harvey 4, Thompson 2.
Kinston [32]: Edwards 5, Nobles 11, Hawthorne 8, Carnley 8.

Tears were flowing freely when Kinston's Coach Pete Kelley entered the Bulldogs' dressing room last week following his team's 36-32 loss in the opening round of the state tournament; however, Coach Kelley quickly got the attention of his disappointed players and told his troops, "Don't hang your heads about anything! You've come a long way and played a good game against a very good basketball team. You gave it your best shot and it was almost enough; but now the season is over and all of you need to be proud of the effort you showed out there today!"

"I didn't feel like South Macon could beat us outside," explained Coach Kelley after leaving the quiet dressing room, "so we packed it in on defense and tried to keep them from getting second and third shots."

"On offense we did what got us here and that was to be patient and wait for a good shot. We had a good plan and executed it well -- we just made a couple of mistakes at the end of the second and third quarters that let them score two buckets, and in the end that was the difference in the score. Our kids gave it all they had and did everything I asked; I guess it just wasn't to be."

Looking back at the season, Coach Kelley stated, "We had a couple of long weeks after the probation, but we made a lot of progress late in the season and the last two weeks went by mighty quickly! We changed our style after a loss in February and tried to work the ball inside. It may have hurt our outside shooters, but it was a chance we had to take to turn the season around, and we made it to state, so I guess it was at least a little successful."

"I am mighty proud of all our young men for hanging in there when the going got tough and paying the price in practice that enabled us to turn it around."

Kinston's Carlton Edwards (20) passes to a teammate despite sticky defense played by a South Macon defender in last week's Class A state tournament battle.

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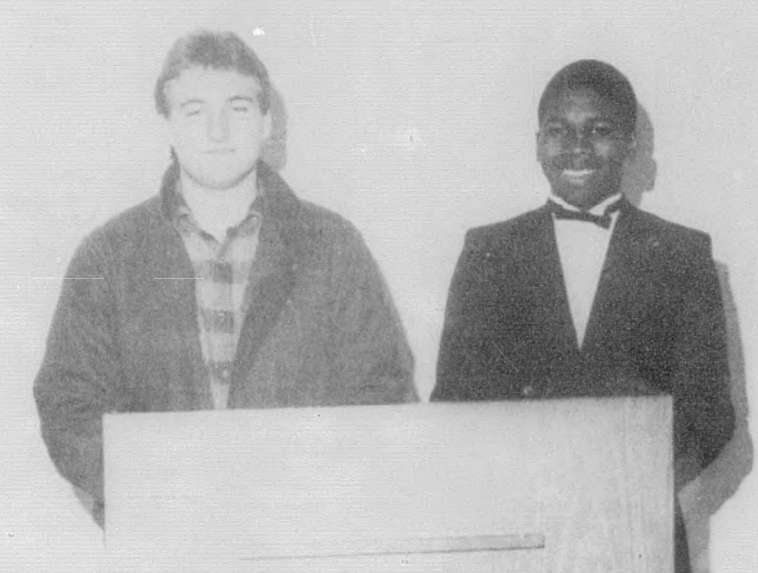
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JUNIOR DIVISION WINNERS... at the recent 4-H Public Speaking Contest included Eric Cox, Chris Hodge and John Pittman.



SENIOR DIVISION WINNERS... At the recent 4-H Public Speaking Contest were L-R Stan Walker of New Brockton and Jeffery Flowers of Zion Chapel.

NEWS FROM AROUND THE COUNTY

WHEELER C. FOSHEE, III
Assistant County Agent

COTTON PRODUCTION GUIDE

Growing cotton in Coffee County is a challenge with all of the insect and disease pressures. To do the best job in growing cotton, you need up-to-date information. We have a "1987 Cotton Production Guide" here in the Extension office. If you would like a copy, please call us at 894-5596 or 1-800-422-0180.

The guide lists recommended varieties, talks about fertility, diseases, weed control, defoliation, costs and returns, and the USDA government program.

4-H PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST

Researchers say that one of the number one fears among Americans is giving a speech. Four-Hers from around Coffee County overcame such fears at the County Public Speaking Contest. Four-Hers who won their local contest came and

competed in New Brockton. Many excellent speeches were given by the young people ranging from drug abuse to agriculture.

First place in the Senior Division went to Stan Walker (HE) of New Brockton and Jeffery Flowers (AG) of Zion Chapel.

In the Junior AG Division John Pittman of New Brockton was first, Chris Hodge of Zion Chapel second, and Eric Cox of Elba was third. In the Junior HE Division, first place went to Denise Farris of Kinston, second was Mandy Speller of Kinston and third Amanda Lunsford of New Brockton.

A special thanks to Ann Henderson, Vernetta DeRamus, John McCrummen, Alan Thrash, B.F. Garth and Bill Faulk for taking time to serve as judges for this contest.

HORTICULTURE TIPS

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PEANUT MEETING

GARDEN LIME

If you haven't limed your garden in the last three years, it could benefit from lime applied annually to soil test results. However, if you don't soil test, I suggest spreading 50 pounds of lime per one thousand square feet for moderately acid soils. If basic slag is substituted for agricultural lime, increase the rate about one-third. You can substitute hydrated lime for small gardens, but use only about three-fourths the recommended rate as agricultural lime. Spread lime before the soil has turned so land preparation will blend the lime into the plow layer.

TIME FOR ONIONS

Onions are one of the earliest crops planted in the garden and a good way to start the 1987 season. Most garden centers and seed and plant stores sell Vidalia onion transplants. This mild, sweet onion has been grown commercially in the Vidalia, Georgia, area for many years.

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JUNIOR HE DIVISION WINNERS... in recent 4-H Public Speaking Contest were Denise Farris, Mandy Speller and Amanda Lunsford.

NOTES....

ANGELA G. HUGHES
Associate County Agent

HIGH IN SODIUM

If you are trying to limit your sodium intake and lose weight at the same time, you may want to avoid canned tuna and cottage cheese. Although both are low in calories, they're high in salt. The daily allowance of salt on a low sodium (mg) or less. Most Americans eat much more than this.

Three and a half ounces of canned tuna has 418 mg of sodium. The same amount of cottage cheese contains 449 mg of salt. To lower the sodium content of these foods, rinse them with tap water before preparing. Rinsing lowers the sodium content of canned tuna to 65 mg, and of cottage cheese to 248 mg. You can also reduce the sodium in other canned foods by rinsing them.

KEEP EGG QUALITY

When you shop for eggs, you first open the carton and make sure the

eggs are clean and undamaged. But how do you handle them at home to ensure they keep their quality. If any eggs crack on the trip home, use them as soon as possible in a fully cooked dish such as a custard, souffle or other baked dish. Proper handling and refrigeration are important in maintaining egg quality. Buy eggs only from refrigerated cases, then take them home and refrigerate them immediately. You can keep fresh shell eggs in their carton for four to five weeks. Storing them in the carton keeps them from absorbing refrigerator odors.

Freshness doesn't affect an egg's nutritional value, but it does influence the cooking quality. Extremely fresh eggs are good for poaching and frying because they hold their shapes better and look more attractive. However, hard-cooked eggs don't peel as easily when they're very fresh.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Persons admitted to Elba General Hospital during the period of March 4 through 9 include the following:

Sarah Meacham, Don Jones, Fred Carpenter, Annie Jordan, Candace Moore, Joann Driggers, Billy Wayne Hudson, Mattie Davis, Jessie Brady, Larry James Erickson, Dan Addison, Albert Grimes, David Rogers, Fred Culver, Mary Nell Knight.

Those discharged during the same period of time include Sarah Meacham, Stan Sauls, Elizabeth Coleman, R.B. Edwards, Jessie Messick, Ellie Mae Grimes, Larry James Erickson, Mamie Murdock, Jack Smart, Joann Driggers, Jean Foster, Mary Young, Odie Bowden, Elsie Killingsworth, Annie Jordan, Harper Grant, Candace Moore, Willie P. Hodge, Don Jones.

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FAMILY TALK

FAMILY COMMUNICATION

We have thought together in the past about good communication techniques. Today I want to talk again about a very basic idea.

Let's think together about "you" messages. This is the traditional way parents have communicated with children. David Mace with the National Council on Family Relations states that "you-messages" contain heavy loadings of blame, judgement, evaluation and criticism. They judge the child's behavior.

A parent's idea about the child's behavior as being bad is the parent's feeling and attitude about the behavior, not the child's feelings. To the child, it is simply behavior for the purpose of getting a need met. A parent's typical response to "bad" behavior might be, "You should know better than to do that."

Why should the child know better? When was this particular situation discussed? The child is being blamed for the behavior when it is the parent who has a problem with the behavior.

The child also is more likely to resent being blamed and less likely

to respond positively. The you-messages do not show understanding and concern. Think of your own defensive reactions when someone gives you one of these you-messages.

You-messages teach the child they do not have self-worth and damages the child's self-esteem. It is a putdown of the child. We all know that when a person becomes defensive, they strike back and children are no different.

Adults often use these you-messages in conversations with each other and these conversations can turn into confrontations easily. They place blame - and not one of us likes to be blamed.

Give some thought to your phrasing of corrections to your children. We will look next at an alternative to these you-messages.

For additional information, call me at 897-3424 or write to me at Coffee County Dept. of Human Resources, P.O. Box 448, Elba, AL 36323.

Thought: A bad workman quarrels with his tools.



Scott Ray McIntosh, center, Elba High School, took top honors in the Automotive Service Technology competition as a part of the District IV Vocational Industrial Clubs of America Skills Olympics held on the campus of Wallace College recently. Second place went to John Stanley Massengale, Autaugaма County Area Vocational Center, left, and third place was awarded to James W. Till from Butler County Area Vocational Center. Wallace College hosted the competition featuring vocational students from schools all over south Alabama for the fourth straight year.

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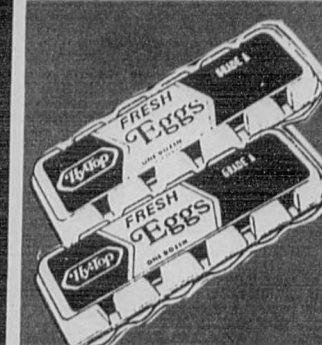
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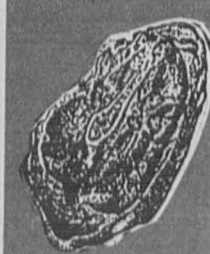
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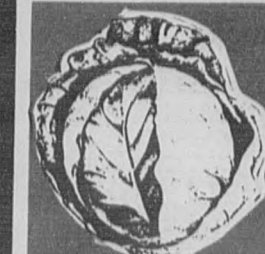
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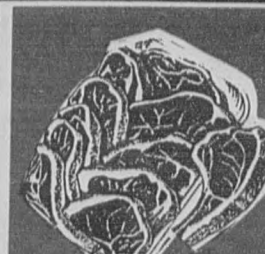
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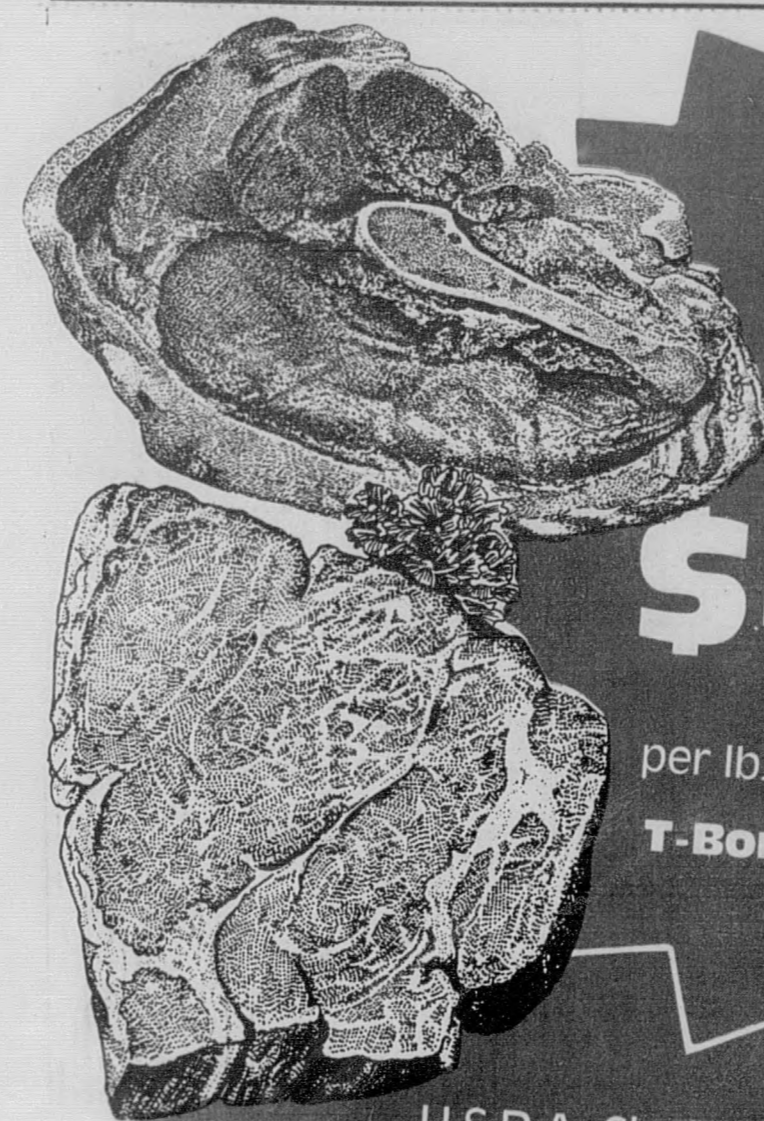
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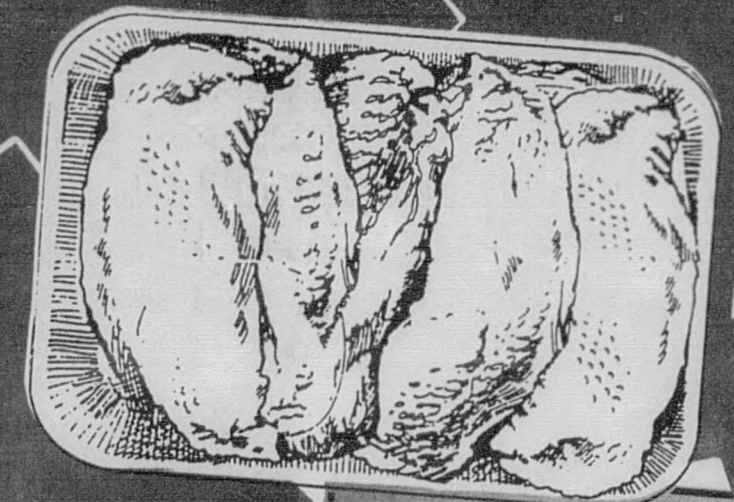
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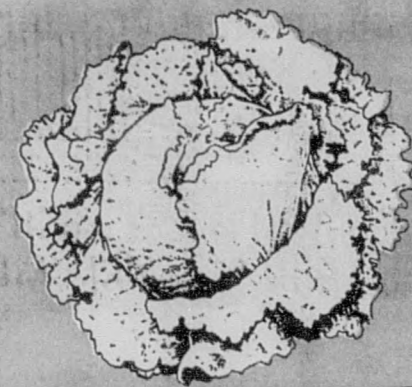
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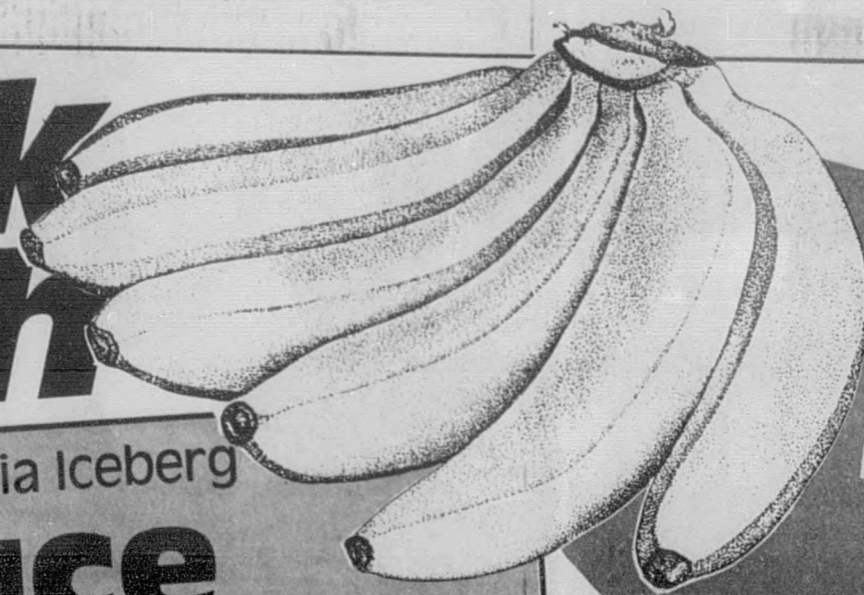
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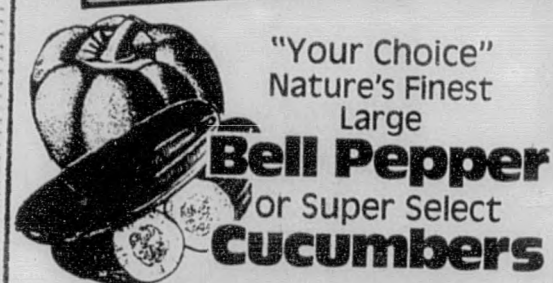


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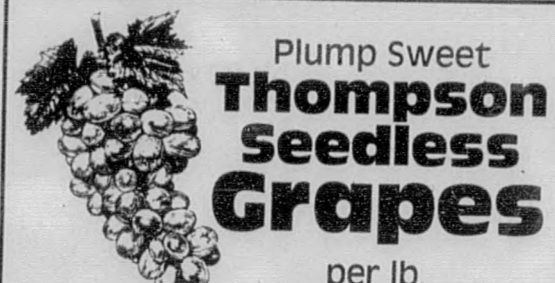
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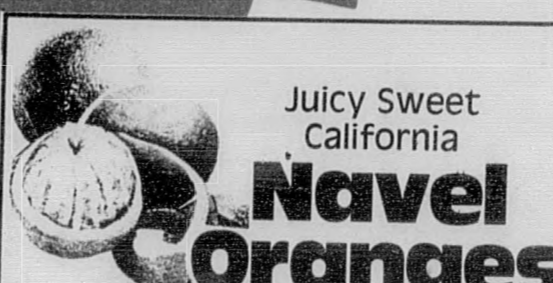
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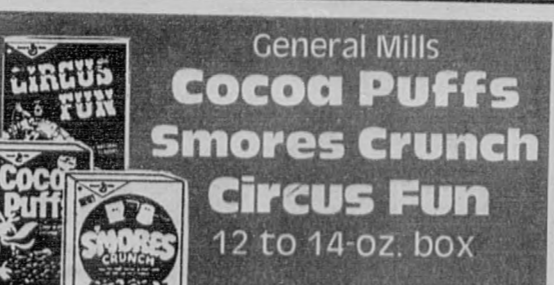
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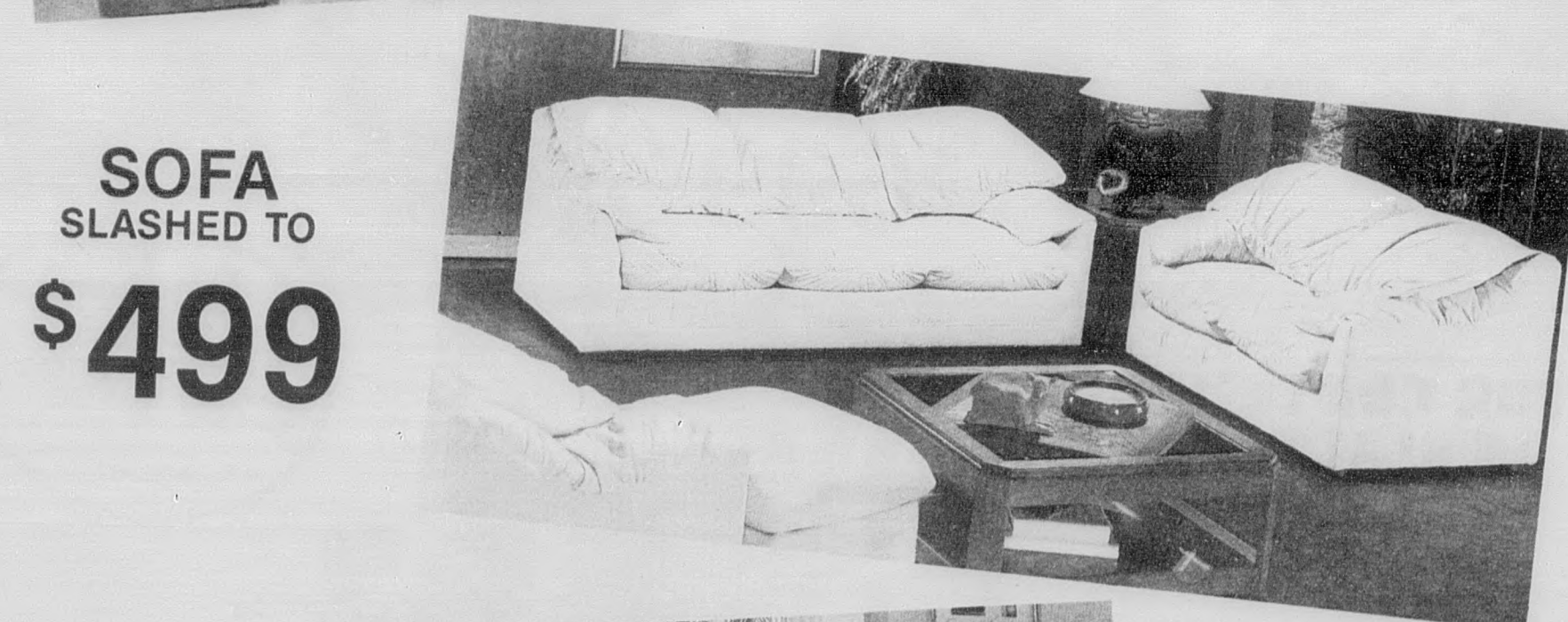
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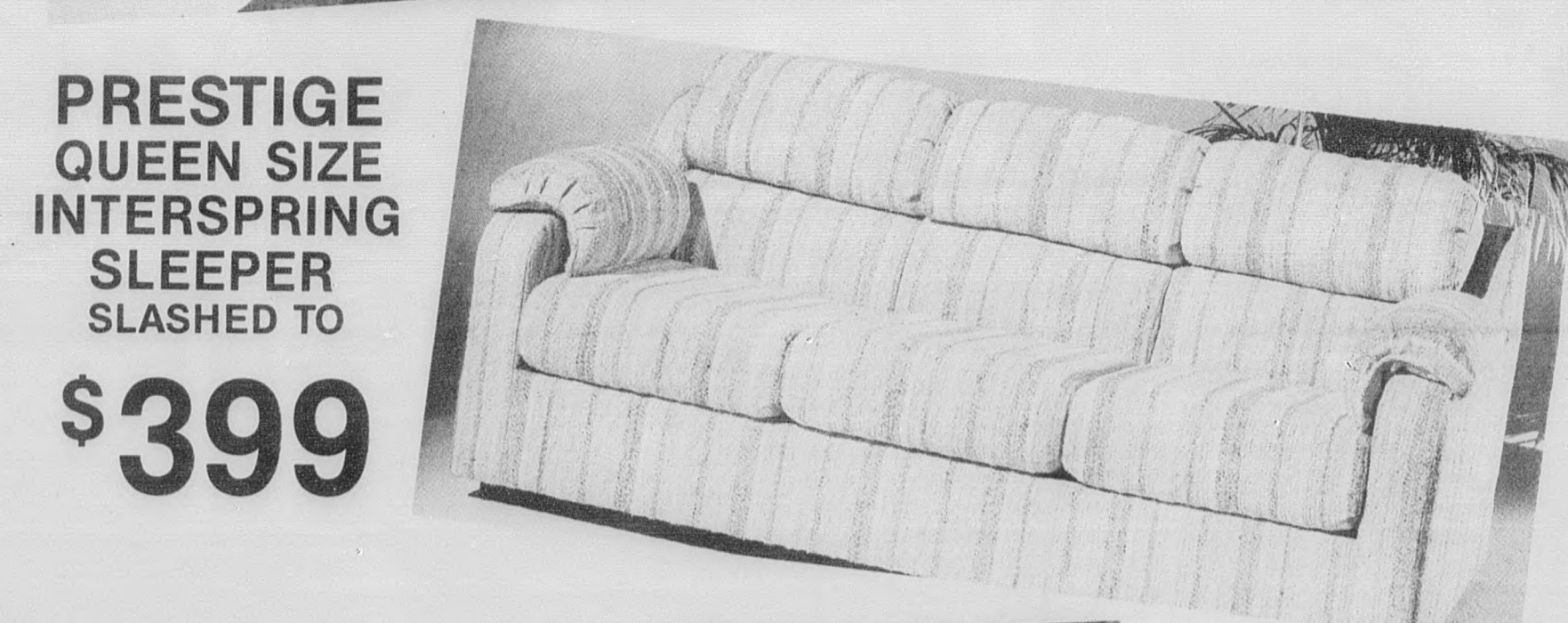
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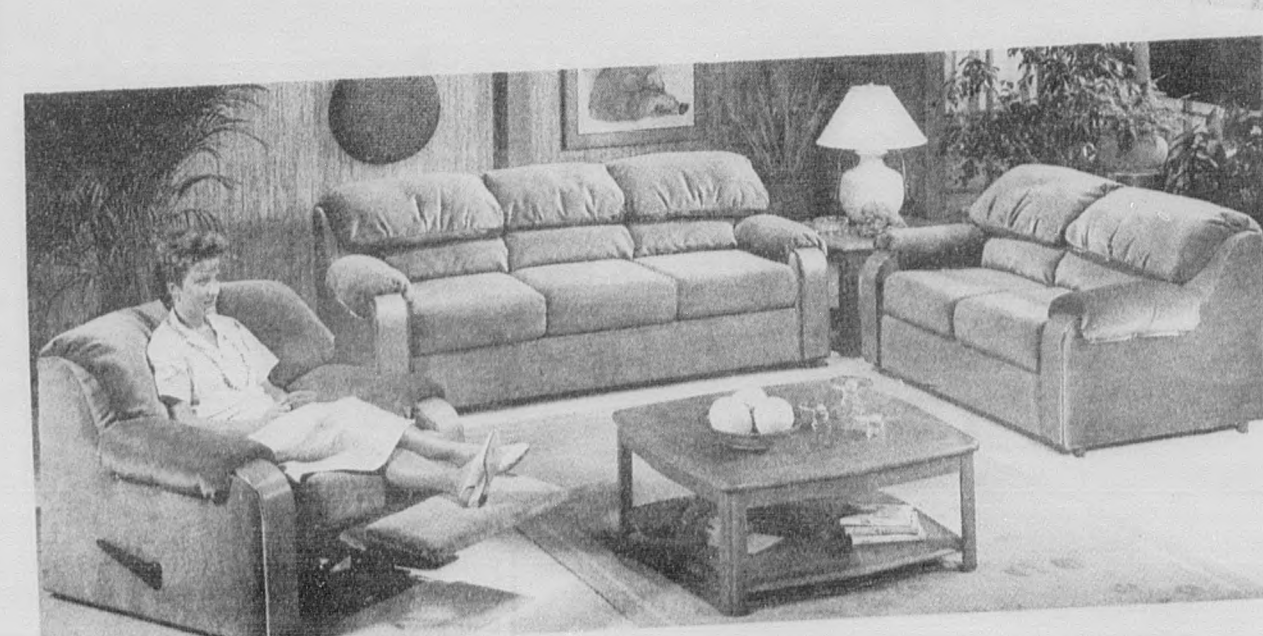
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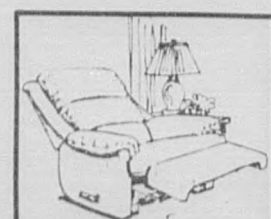
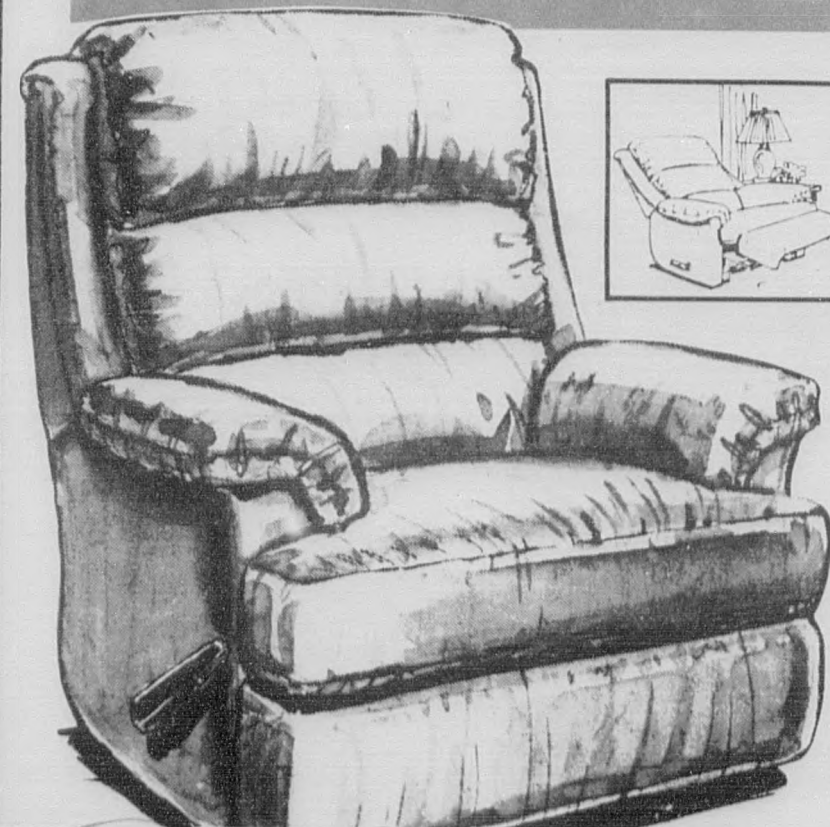
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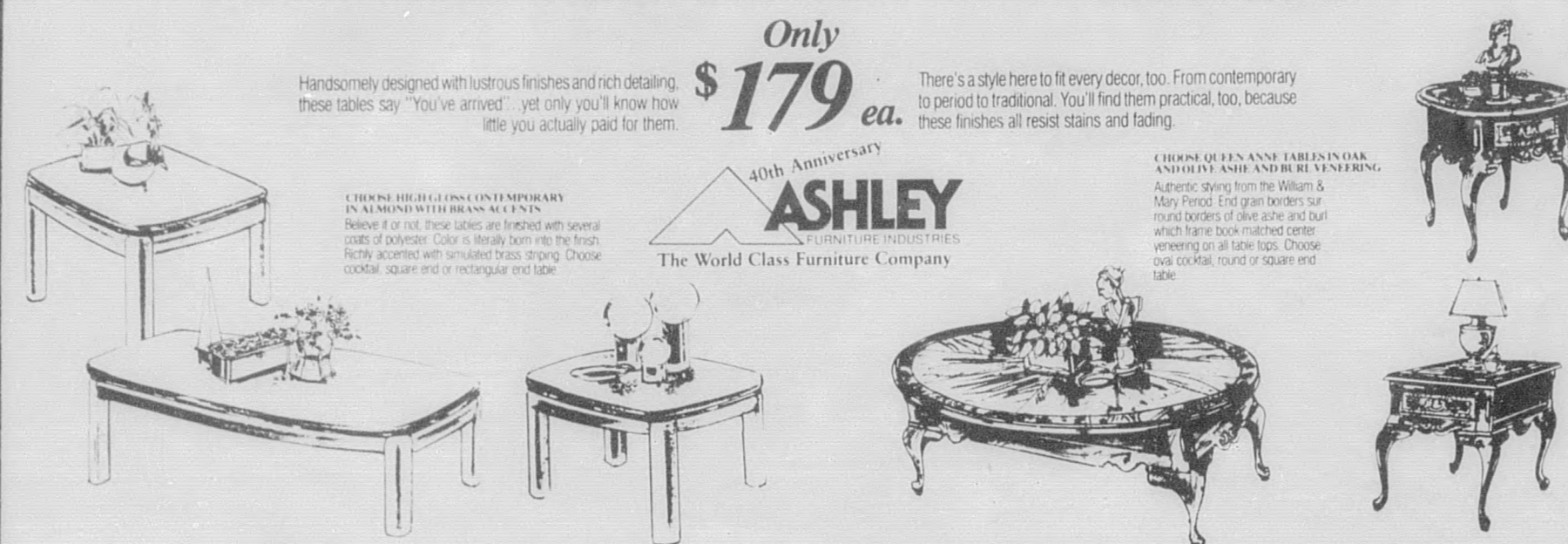
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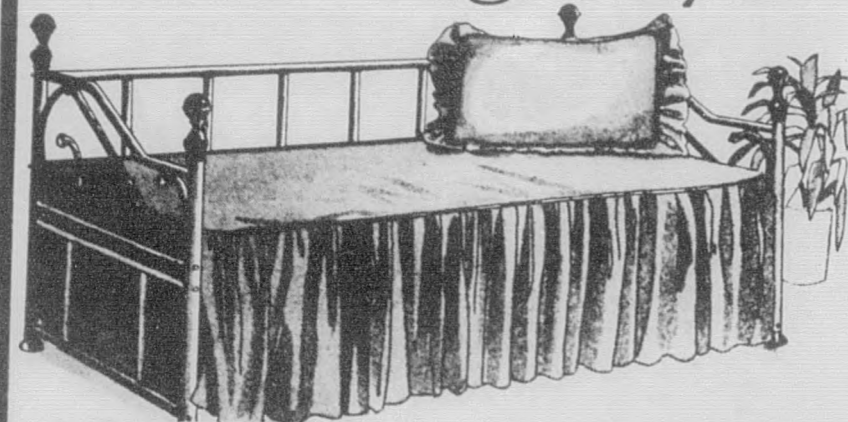


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Enterprise, Alabama
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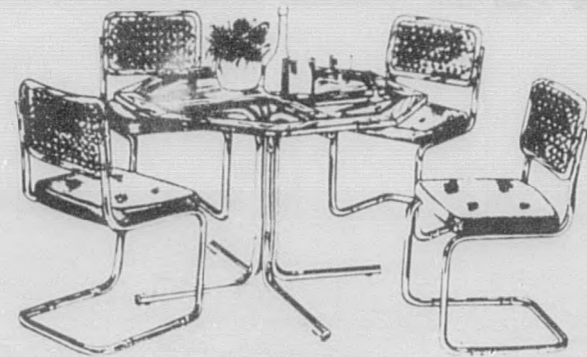
Charming Day Bed



Add a touch of classic comfort to any sitting room with this charming day bed. Tubular steel frame has durable, chip-resistant white enamel finish, cast iron connectors, and brass plated finials on each post. Sturdy construction and elegant styling. Offers elegant seating by day and comfortable sleeping at night. From Bernards.

Link Spring Unit DAY BED
Unit \$39 **Only \$99**

DINING SET



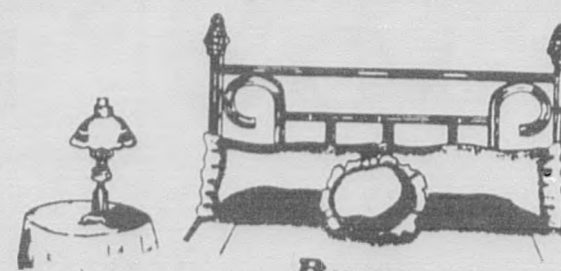
A Bright and Contemporary Combination—Brass, Glass and Oak
An octagonal table serves as the focal point for this lovely five-piece dining set. The clear beveled glass table top rests in a golden oak-finished hardwood frame and is supported by a brass-plated base. Classic Breuer chairs feature comfortable box seats upholstered in rich brown velvet with cane backs and brass-plated frames. Certain to be a favorite gathering place in your home.

From Bernards.
\$149 (With Assembly) 5-PIECE SET

BRASS HEADBOARD

A Classic tribute to your good taste.

SINGLE \$39
FULL \$49
QUEEN \$49

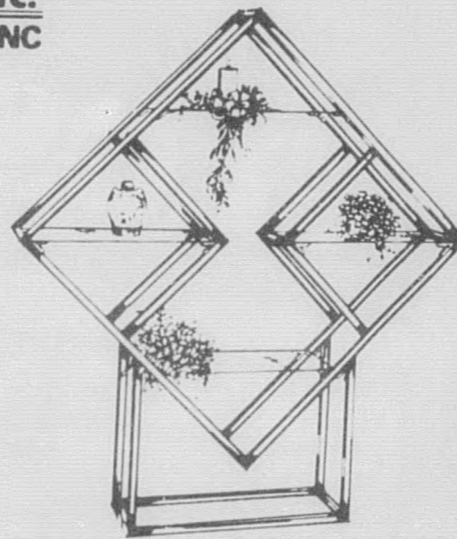


The design is both traditional and elegant. For single, full, and queen size beds, this is the headboard you've always dreamed of. From Bernards.

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A diamond-shaped etagere of exceptional style with the bright highlights of brass and glass. The brass-plated frame supports four elegant glass shelves, each secured by decoratively notched brass-plated brackets. Like facets, the diamond pattern repeats to create a shimmering display for treasured mementoes. An open and contemporary etagere certain to add a special sparkle to your home.



Brass and Glass Etagere

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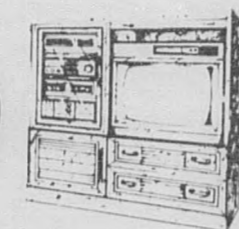
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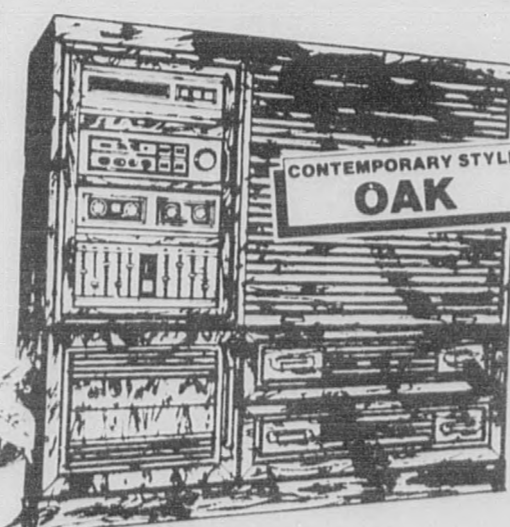
Houses 26" TV behind roll top tambour door. (Similar To Shown)

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51" wide by 49" high and 20" deep... and it houses your complete home entertainment electronics... including 26" TV set, VCR, Audio turntable, Tape deck, Amplifier, Amplifier tuner, Record Storage, Tape Storage, Accessories Storage. The TV cabinet section has a removable shelf. If your set is 26". If only 21" or 19", the shelf goes back in and will hold additional electronics. The cabinet can be enclosed with the roll-top tambour door, as shown. The audio compartment encloses behind a wood framed tempered glass door and features a pull-out sliding shelf, plus two adjustable shelves. Brass wire record rack is concealed behind bottom door. Additional storage drawers house tapes, accessories, etc.

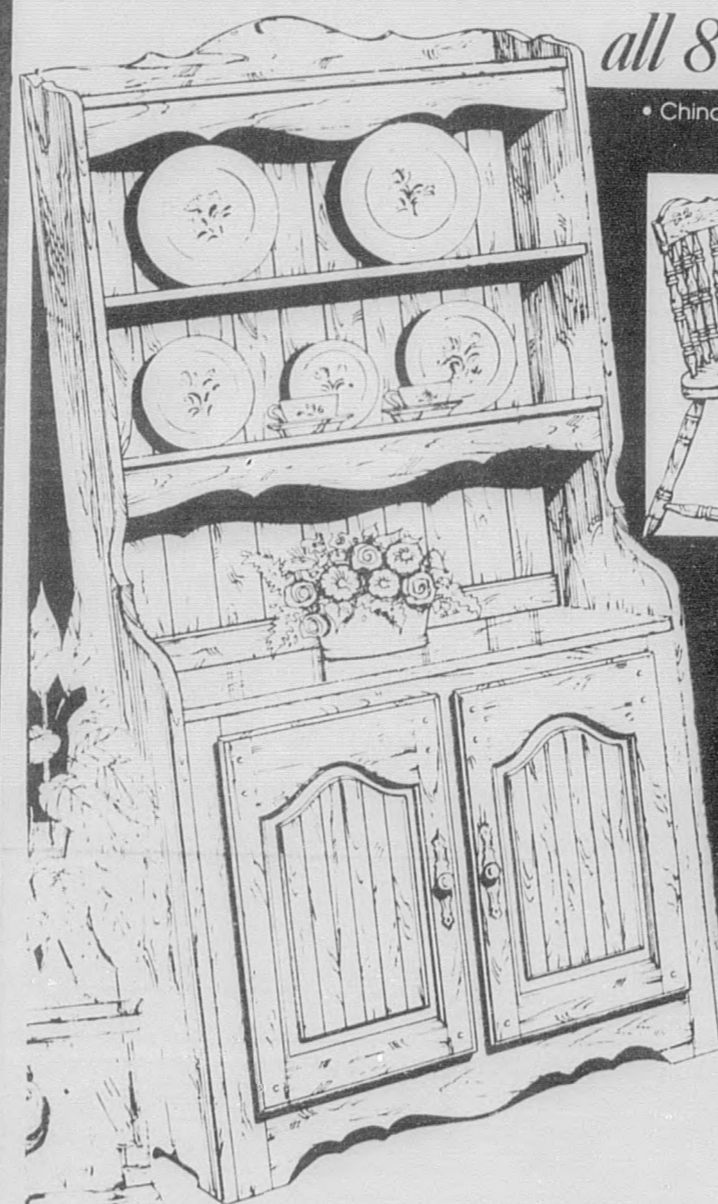
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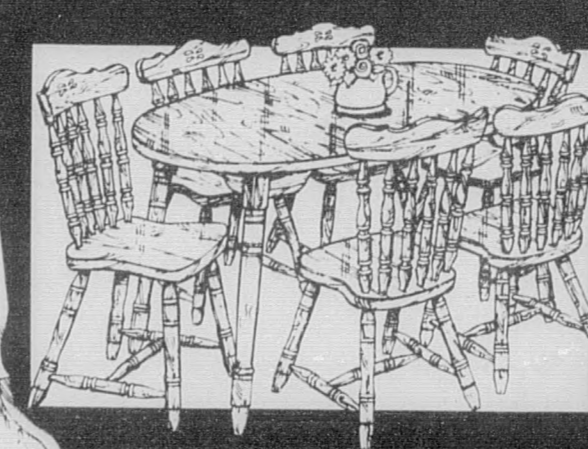
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One Super Price

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• China Buffet • One Table • 6 Chairs



One complete package that has all your dining needs! When you add it up you have one super price. Everything you need. A full china buffet. Six solid wood chairs and a heavy all wood oval table. Come in today and take advantage of this outstanding buy.

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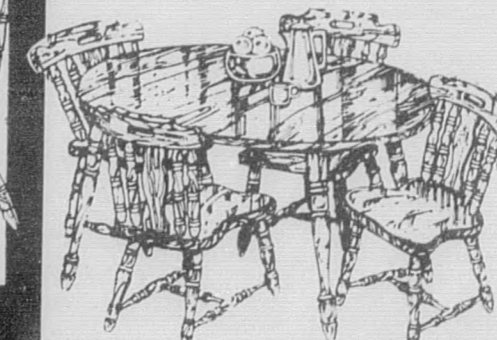
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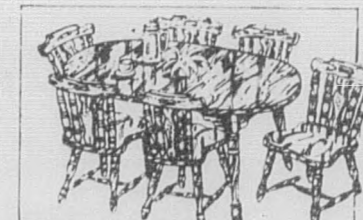
Choose a dinette to your particular size. These attractive and practical offerings are finished in lustrous pine or maple. The tables are protected by a matching wood grain laminate.



A. 3-Pc. Drop Leaf Table 30"x28"x48" ... **\$149**



B. 5-Pc. Oval Table 36"x48" ... **\$199**



C. 7-Pc. Oval Table 36"x48" ext. 72" ... **\$299**

INFORMAL DINING

Here is an extraordinary value in dining furniture from the Beechbrook Collection. This all-wood furniture creates an atmosphere of cozy warmth that emphasizes the intimate warmth of family living. Each piece is carefully crafted and touched off with a lustrous finish, available in your choice of Maple, Country Pine or Oak*. The distinctive spindle-back side and arm chairs are styled to be comfortable as well as attractive. Come in today and see how you can bring a little Early American informal living into your home.

*Available in oak finish at a small additional charge.

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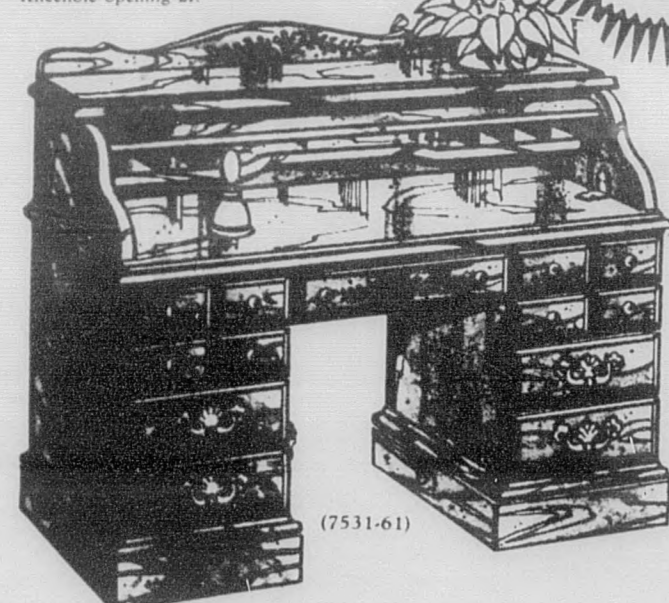
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Country of Colonial Roll Tops At Down Home Prices.

Country English Roll Top Desk at an incredibly low price.

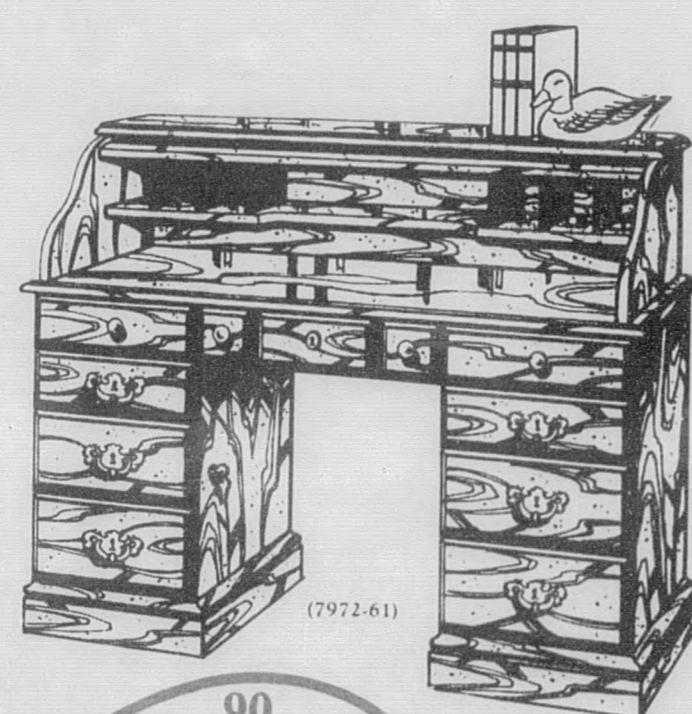
This country english double pedestal roll top desk in our vintage oak finish will look great in your home. Constructed in solid wood with a beautiful engraved finish, it has a decorative "S" curve roll top, five utility drawers and two file drawers (one locking). Size 54x22x45. Kneehole opening 21".



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**50%
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Colonial Roll Top Desk at an old fashioned price.

Constructed in solid wood with a beautiful engraved finish this colonial double pedestal roll top desk with a decorative "S" curve roll top is finished in Stonebrook Oak. Beautifully designed, yet functional, it has five utility drawers and two file drawers (one locking). Size 54x22x44. Kneehole opening 21".



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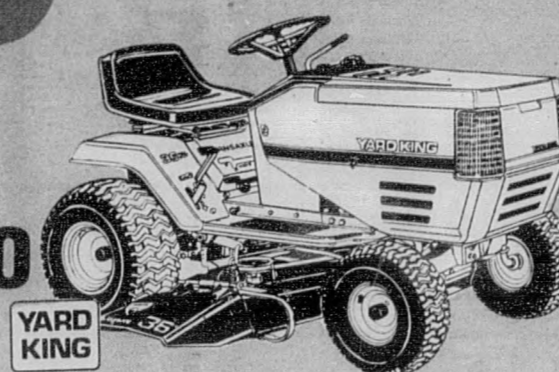


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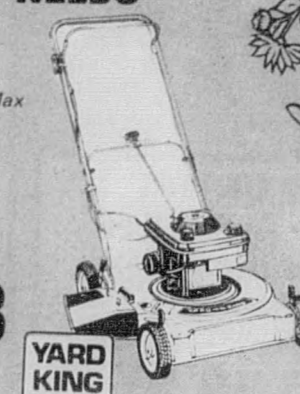


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- 11 HP Briggs & Stratton Industrial/Commercial Synchro-Balanced Engine, Electric Start with 12 Volt Alternator
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- One Gallon Remote Gas Tank
- Adjustable Steering Column

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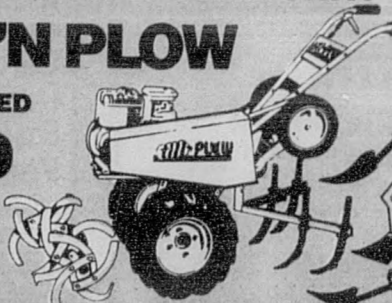
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\$44.88

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Your co-op store manager may not stock all items shown or may be temporarily out of certain advertised items. However, in most cases, these items can be located in our co-op system. In this event, you will be issued a raincheck upon request.

Coffee County Cooperative

Geneva Highway
Enterprise, Ala. 36330

Route 2
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- CHAIN DRIVE
- SINGLE SPEED

5 H.P.

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These tillers
adjust for 3 till-
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Spray Penetrating Oil	\$1.88
Starting Fluid	1.49
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Lithtac Lube, 14 oz.	.79
MFA Super-Lube All, 35#	29.88
SHD 30 Oil, 12 Qt. Case	9.88
Hvy. Dty. R&O Oil, 2.5 Gal.	7.44

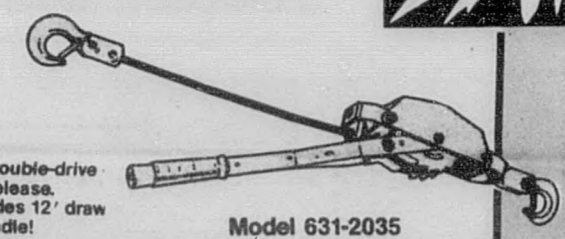
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SAVE ON CAMPBELL 1500 LB. CABLE PULLER

\$17.44

Features hooks with latches, double-drive ratchet wheel, easy let-down release. Aircraft type 3/16" cable provides 12' draw on 1500 lbs. Built-in safety handle!



Model 631-2035

Poly Tarpaulins

6' x 8'

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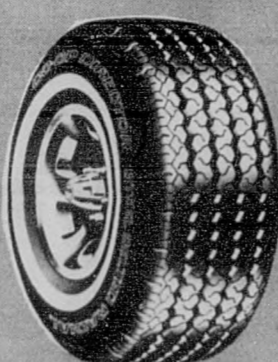
SALE PRICE **\$79.95** 8 ft.

7 ft. - \$69.95



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AUTOMOTIVE SALE



DIRECTOR Steel Belted Radial

SALE PRICE **\$39.95**
P155/80R-13

Radial benefits for the price conscious customer. LRR (low rolling resistance) tread compound for improved mileage. Wide grooved, block tread design for excellent traction on wet and dry surfaces. P-Metric sizing. White sidewall styling.

COUNTRY SQUIRE A/P RADIAL



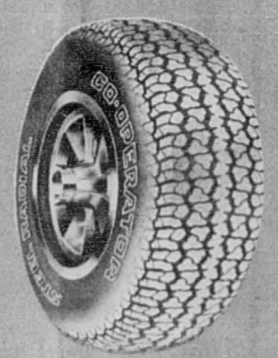
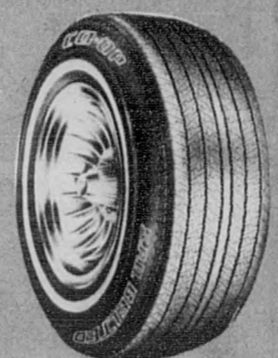
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P205/75R-14

A quality radial tire that provides a direct replacement for the P-Metric tires that are original equipment on lighter duty vehicles. Aggressive all wheel/all weather tread design. Raised white outline lettering.

S.P.D. BELTED

A fiberglass-belted, polyester tire with a wide seven-rib tread design for economical trouble-free miles. P-Metric sizing. White sidewall styling.

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P165/80B-13



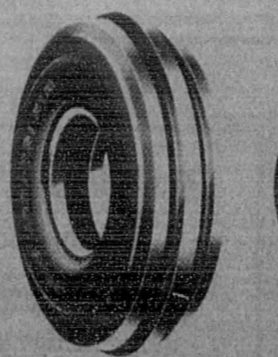
A new generation steel-belted radial that provides a direct replacement for original equipment 70 series tires. Optimized mold cavity design for improved tire performance in virtually all categories. Wide footprint puts more rubber on the road for improved stability and handling plus longer mileage.

CO-OPERATOR
SALE PRICE **\$44.95**
P155/80R-13

AGRI-TRI RIB

Wide 3 rib spacing for maximum flotation and superior turning stability. 3 ribs protect against side slip. Nylon cord and Agri-Tread withstands farm abuse.

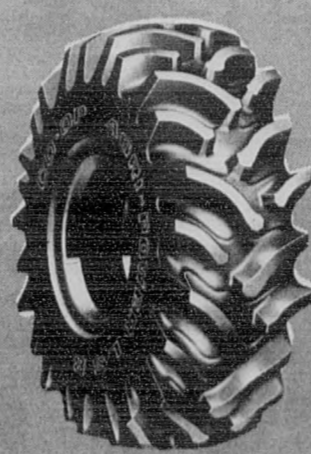
SALE PRICE **\$24.55**
400-15



AGRI-POWER LSB

Long and short bar design improves drawbar pull, and significantly reduces vibration for a better ride. Multi-angle lugs optimize traction efficiently in a wide range of soils and services. Tread pattern option depending on size needed.

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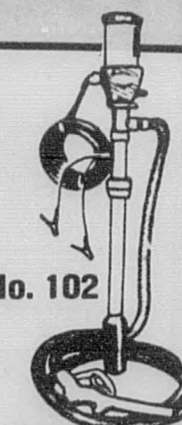
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MICO TRANSFER PUMP

WITH 24-IN. STAND PIPE, HOSE & NOZZLE. SALE PRICE! **\$198.88**

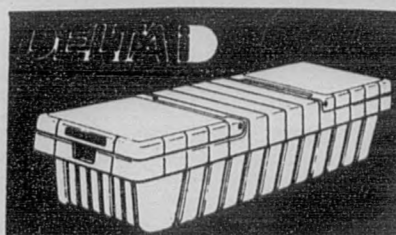
Lightweight. Die-cast construction. Non-corrosive plastic, stainless steel parts. Pumps up to 16 gal. per minute. Eliminates suction pipes, check/relief valves, gears and belts.



DELTA "Fleetside" PICK-UP TRUCK Tool Box

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Heavy-duty poly construction. Long-lasting, rust-proof, fully secure. Priced at very special savings. Buy now, save!



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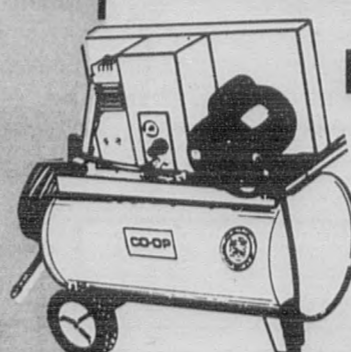
1/2 Horsepower - 10 GAL. ELECTRIC AIR COMPRESSOR

Really handy for inflating tires and cleaning dust and grime off equipment and machinery. Maximum pressure of 100 lbs. 3.4 CFM displacement. 10 gal. tank capacity.

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10 Gal. Tank

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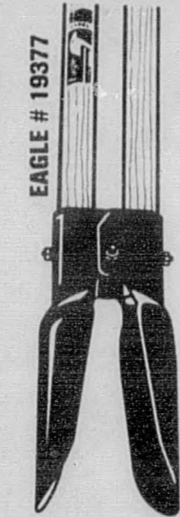
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for the **LAWN & GARDEN**

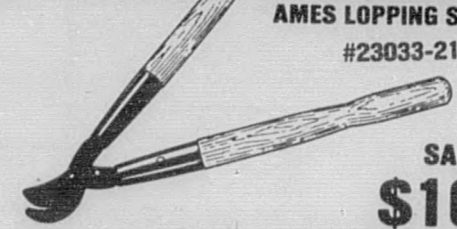
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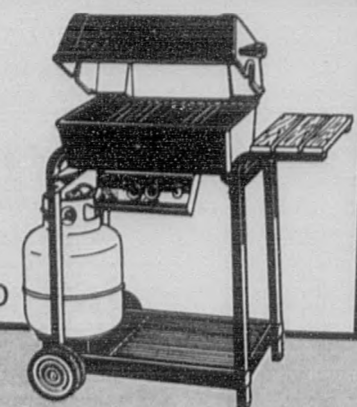


EAGLE # 19377
18 tine, 20 in. head. Handle is 48 in. long.
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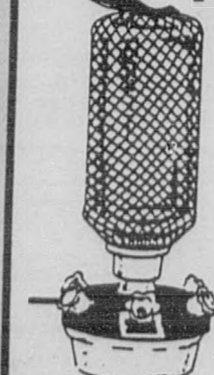
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3-PIECE SET \$130.80
SALE PRICE
Patio Table #402 \$59.80
Patio Bench #401 49.80
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BIG HUMMINGBIRD FEEDER

MODEL P-32
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A sure, great way to attract the beautiful hummingbirds. They'll bring you pleasure with their grace and flying antics.
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4-Qt. Electric Ice Cream FREEZER

Makes up to 4 qts. of home-made ice cream in only 20-30 minutes!
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15 1/2 Gauge
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M-80
New advanced model for spreading seed and fertilizer. Cover 7 to 15 acres per hour. Easy mount style. Heavy-duty gear box. 26 rate settings.
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5 Blade CEILING FANS



Fan pictured above is only a 4-blade fan - Fan on sale is a 5-blade fan.
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Gott's Sportsman 48-Quart Cooler
Chest holds enough for the whole gang!
• Easy clean, removable food tray
• Sturdy no pinch folding handles
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Specially priced... only \$19.88



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5% - 4 lbs. - \$1.95

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Dursban
Pint - \$5.44



20 Pounds BIRD SEED
\$3.29

GRAY STRIPED Sunflower Seeds
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3544
54" Round
\$1.49

Sturdy rust-resistant supports for framing tomatoes. Save garden space and produce larger, cleaner and harder harvests.

Save on Rolls of Polyethylene

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4 Mill Clear
3 Ft. x 100 Ft.
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Other lengths, sizes available.

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READY-TO-USE-CONCRETE MIX

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Just add water, mix and pour for instant concrete. Ideal for patios, sidewalks, clothesline poles and other projects. Also for setting fence posts!



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1/2 Gallon
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32 Ozs.
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64 Ozs.
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RED BRAND®

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 450910622 6 1/2 Ft. Post \$2.19
 450910041 Barb Wire, #80 \$32.95
 450910071 Field Fence Wire 939-6012 1/2 Gal. \$64.88
 450910111 Utility Fab. Wire, 103-2-14, 50' \$14.88

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OSCILLATING SPRINKLER

New cycling mechanism eliminates oscillator pause to save water and give more even coverage. Features multi-position dial setting, precision spray jets, corrosion-resistant construction. Durable high impact housing.

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Gilmour's all new 3-arm rotating sprinkler provides up to 50' diameter coverage, corrosion-resistant high impact polymer construction, large base for better stability.

PLASTIC GARBAGE CAN

Gott HEAVY DUTY!
 Big 32 Gal. Size!
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 Gott - 1332

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Famous Gott quality at big CO-OP savings! A garbage container that's so unbreakable it carries a 5-year warranty against warping, cracking or breaking. Won't dent, rust or corrode.

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Controls Fleas In Your Home YEAR ROUND!

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Total nutrition and great taste. Big Red High Energy is a complete and balanced formula for dogs that burn energy faster than ordinary dog foods can supply it. And it's unconditionally guaranteed.

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Kills fleas for 11 months
 Kills ticks for 7 months
 Kills mange mites

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23" Long

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Total nutritional and great taste. Li'l Red Dry Cat Dinner provides all of the protein, vitamins, minerals and other vital nutrients necessary to keep your cat or kitten healthy and alert. And it's unconditionally guaranteed.

Reg. Price \$4.88
 10 lbs. **SALE PRICE \$3.99**

25 lbs. SALE PRICE \$5.39

Reg. price for 25 lb. bag is \$6.88

25 lbs. SALE PRICE \$5.39

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Banned book removed from classrooms at Elba

There is one banned textbook in the Elba City School System and school officials reported Tuesday that the books will be removed from the classroom immediately upon the recommendation of the State School Board and for the remainder of the school year an older book would be used for reference purposes and the class would become primarily a "lecture" class.

That was the word this week from Elba City School Supt. Billy Crews following the word of a Mobile district judge's ruling that 45 state textbooks are being banned from the classroom because they allegedly advance secular humanism in violation of the United States Constitution.

"We've got one book on the list," stated Supt. Crews, "and it has been used in the system since 1977. The book is an eleventh-grade American History book entitled 'Rise of the American Nation' and we have 118 copies of the book in our inventory."

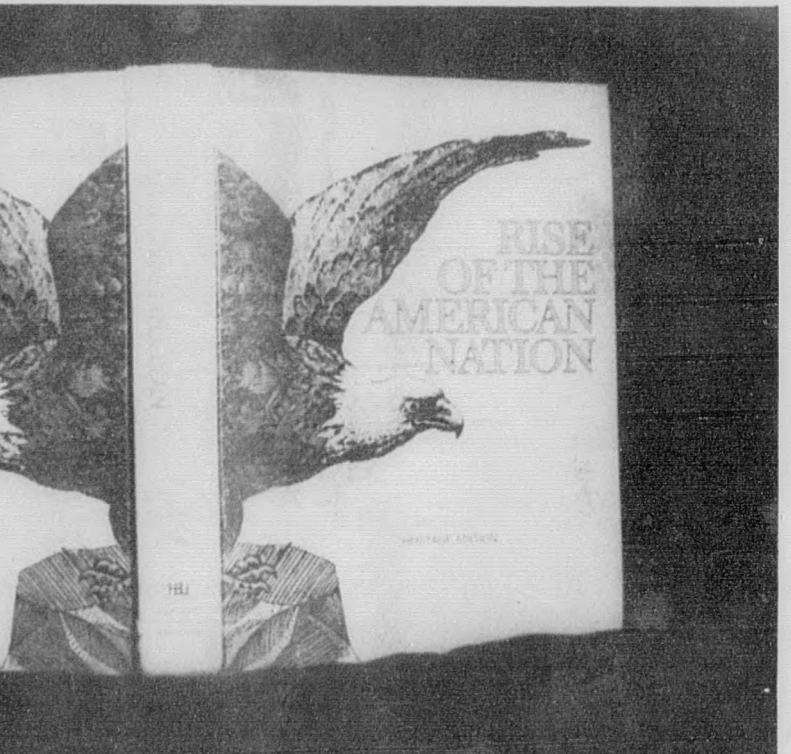
Crews reported that school officials have not received any complaints about the book or accusations that the books are humanistic. Secular humanism refers to human-centered, rather than God-centered, ideas and principles.

"At first we thought there was no hurry to remove the books from the classrooms because the case was being appealed by the State Dept. of Education," said Crews, "But Tuesday the State Board of Education recommended all schools using any books on the list pull the books immediately to avoid the possibility of additional lawsuits. It is too close to the end of the school year to change books, so we'll just pull the books from the classes and the teacher will change to a lecture class with the students using an older book for reference."

"It would cost approximately \$1500 to replace the books, and since the Social Studies Dept. was to review the books in use and recommend new books for the new school year, we felt the best plan was to remove the books and then order new ones at a later date if necessary."

Supt. Crews stated the system had received a complete list of the banned books from the state, and after a careful review found the history book to be the only one on the list received.

More than 100 of the state's 129 school systems use at least one of the banned books and nearly one-third of the systems use the American History book used by the local system.



HISTORY BOOK BANNED... This history book entitled "Rise of the American Nation," was used by 11th graders at Elba High School until this week when school officials removed the book from the classrooms. The removal came after a Mobile judge's order banning the book from Alabama classrooms due to their alleged secular humanism overtones.

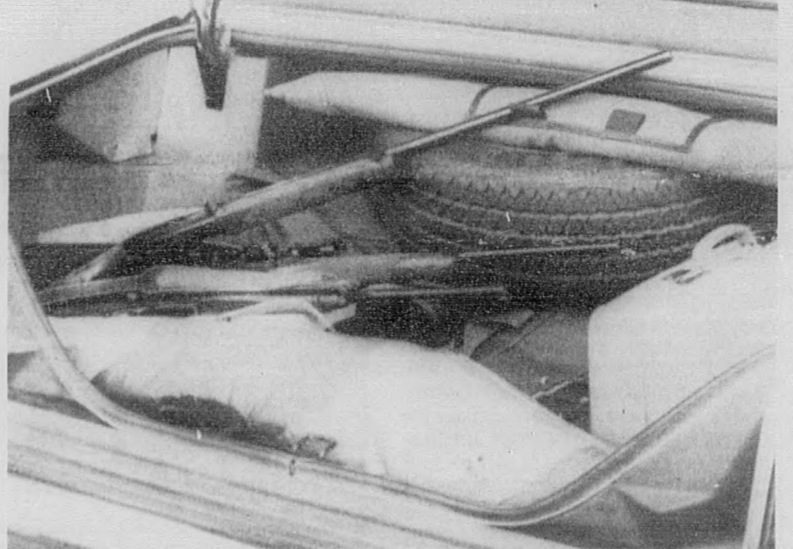
County pulls two books from classes

All schools in the Coffee County School System were notified Tuesday by Supt. of Education Clayton Bryant that two books being used in Home Economics, and Home and Personal Management classes were on the list of banned books. Supt. Bryant said the books were to be removed from the classrooms immediately, pending further action by the State Dept. of Education.

The two books, which were being used as research material, were identified as "Caring, Deciding and Growing," published by Ginn, and "Teen Guide," published by McGraw-Hill.

"We notified our teachers in all three county schools to remove the books from the classrooms Tuesday," stated Supt. Bryant. "And I don't think the removal of the books will cause any hardship on either the students or the teachers. They were only used as reference material and thus weren't used daily by the students."

Arrest of two Coffee County men may be key in solving crime spree



LOADED UP FOR TRIP BACK... A number of rifles and shotguns were loaded in the trunk of an automobile belonging to an Alabama Bureau of Investigation official for the trip back to Wilcox County, where the guns were stolen. Law enforcement officials in Alabama and Florida are continuing their investigation in the large rash of thefts in both states.

Law enforcement officials from across Alabama and the Panhandle of Florida are hoping the arrest of two Coffee County men last week will put an end to a nine-month-long crime spree that has resulted in the theft of almost \$1 million in various sporting and hunting equipment in the two-state area.

Coffee County Sheriff Brice Paul reported last week that Donnie Price of Rt. 3, Enterprise, and Mark Meriwether of Enterprise, were arrested by county deputies last week and charged with theft of property - 1st degree, and stated the duo may also face an additional 10-15 charges in Coffee County as well as over 30 charges in counties throughout the state and in Florida.

Sheriff Paul stated that in the past nine months countless numbers of motorcycles, shotguns, rifles, tree stands, boat motors and various other hunting and recreational equipment had been stolen in central and south Alabama as well as northwest Florida.

"An extensive investigation has been underway for many months by the Coffee County Sheriff's Dept., the Dale County Sheriff's Dept., Enterprise Police Dept., Escambia County (Fla.) Sheriff's Dept., Wilcox County Sheriff's Dept., the Alabama Bureau of Investigation and various other law enforcement agencies in an attempt to solve the rash of thefts," said Sheriff Paul, "and we believe the arrest of these two men may do just that. We know the men were involved locally in the thefts and feel that once they are interrogated we may find out that all we really know is just the tip of the iceberg!"

"Many of the items were sold during the holiday season and most probably were sold at very low prices by someone telling about an unusual set of happenings that led to the price being so low."

"When you contact us be ready to give the model number and serial number of the item, and we'll run the numbers through the computer and find out if the item is stolen. Don't be afraid to call us! We know many people who purchased the items are innocent, but it's always better to come to us than to make us come to you at a later date. We'll find out where most of the stolen items were disposed of, and if you still have something we will have to question you."

The phone number of the Coffee County Sheriff's Dept. is 897-5012 (Elba) and 347-2616 (Enterprise).

Grummer is new hospital administrator

Paul Grummer, a native of Conway, Arkansas, with 13 years experience in hospital administration, has been named the new administrator at Elba General Hospital and Nursing Home, a municipally-owned facility currently being leased by National Healthcare Inc. of Dothan.

The new administrator is a graduate of the University of Central Arkansas and received a master's in Business Administration from the University of Florida. Grummer began his career in the medical profession as the administrator at Jay County Hospital in Portland, Indiana, and later served in similar positions at Russell City Hospital in Russell, Kansas, and LaSalle General Hospital in Jena, Louisiana.

"I have always worked with hospitals in small towns and enjoy the closeness of the hospital with the people in the community," stated Grummer. "It is always important for a hospital to have a good image with the citizens of the community in which it is located, and the same is especially true in a small town."

"There are a number of problems that Elba General Hospital must overcome, such as its recent loss of doctors; however, the number one priority is for the hospital to provide quality health care and meet the needs of the people in the community and surrounding area. I will work hard to improve the quality of medical care in Elba and also improve the people's image of their hospital."

"A community needs stability in the field of medical care," Grummer said, "and the surest way for a hospital to provide security and stability is to have good doctors and keep good doctors. Elba now has two excellent physicians and another doctor will open a practice in July, but the city has lost a number of fine physicians in recent months and we can't keep on losing these doctors. In the months to come we'll work hard to recruit good doctors for Elba and hopefully in the near future Elba will have as good a staff of physicians as any city its size in the nation."

"One of my first priorities since arriving has been to evaluate the employees and determine their needs as well as their dedication to the hospital," added Grummer. "I have met with the employees in small groups to explain what the goal is at Elba General Hospital, and how, together, we can provide the citizens of Elba and Coffee County with top quality health care."

Grummer also spoke of long-range plans to open clinics in the smaller towns in the county on a limited basis and to provide other essential services at the hospital.

"I realize that everyone has read of the problems faced by National Healthcare, Inc. and has read about the lawsuit filed against the

company," stated Grummer. "The corporation is facing some problems; however, I am concerned with the problems facing the citizens of Elba in the medical field and not the corporate problems."

"The base of National Healthcare is strong and the company does have a bright future, and I'm convinced that with the help of the citizens of this fine community, Elba General Hospital will also have a bright future and be able to meet the ever-changing medical needs of the community."

Grummer and his wife Jo are the parents of two children: Kelley - 16, and John - 7, and plans are for the family to move to Elba within the month.



Paul Grummer

Black & Gold game set for Friday...See Sports



Water & Electric Board continues to face problems of costly repairs

The Elba Water and Electric Board Tuesday evening heard reports that two water tanks are in bad need of repair. They also are anguished over the rising cost of maintaining the water and electric system and the continuing losses in unpaid bills. Board members also expressed concern over the heavy loss of water pumped, over water billed, to customers and the related \$2,000 loss in the water department.

Mayor Bob English, who also serves as water superintendent, reported to the board that two storage tanks are in need of repair. He estimated the cost of repairing the Reddock Hill tank at \$10,000 and the Opp Highway tank at \$12,000. The board authorized the drawing of specifications and requesting of bids. Chairman Oscar Vaughan said a special meeting will be called to open the bids when they are received.

English explained that first the 144,000-gallon Reddock Hill tank will be completely drained and repaired, then the 200,000-gallon Opp Highway tank will get the same treatment.

Monthly bills of \$18,504.25 were approved for payment amid complaints from board members of the high cost of operations. It was explained by Clerk D.M. English that much of the expenses were for materials to do work around the bypass and some of this would be reimbursed by the State of Alabama. However, much of the water repairs are because the system is very old and wearing out, board members were told.

Members were told that accounts receivable were at \$4988.94. Seven meters had been pulled for nonpayment and the board had eight bad checks in the process of being collected. These checks totaled \$667.45.

The electric department has shown an increase in profits from the preceding year. Board members were told it was directly related to the installation of some expensive equipment on the lines as recommended by the late Paul Cherry who served as superintendent of the department until his death.

However the mounting losses in the water department and the ever-increasing cost of maintaining the sewage system eats into the financial cushion, according to figures released at the meeting. Board members expressed frustration that the losses continue and they have no solution to the problems.

Councilman Jack Prescott added that the sewer lagoons are reaching capacity by many D.M. English need repair and this could cost millions to remedy.